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IT MEANS A LOSS OF \$20,000,000

Effect of the Supreme Court's Income Tax Decision.

LITIGATION WILL CONTINUE.

Attacks Will Be Made on the Clause of the Law Exempting Incomes Under \$4,000.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., April 9.-The loss in revenue resulting from the decision of the Supreme Court on the income tax excepting

in revenue resulting from the decision of the Supreme Court on the income tax excepting real estate rentals and State county and municipal bonds will, according to estimates of Treasury officials, amount to at least 50 per cent of the whole revenue from all classes of incomes—that is, \$15,000,000 or \$20,000,000—for the first year. This sum will be increased each year that the present decision stands, for the reason that investments in these non-taxable holdings will be largely increased.

In some cities, the loss will be far greater than this—notably, in the city of Washington, where the loss is expected to reach 75 per cent. Washington, however, is exceptionally a renting city. The proportion of rented houses in other cities of the country also is very large. In 1890 the rented houses in New York city were nearly 84 per cent of the whole; in Boston, it was 81 per cent; in Brooklyn, 81 per cent; in Cincinnati, 80 per cent; in Jersey City, 81 per cent. In the other large cities, the percentages range down to 36, at Rochester. In New York city, there were \$2,506 rented houses; in Philadelphia, 167,803; in Chicago, 156,566; in Brooklyn, 189,040. The total number of rented houses in the United States in 1890 was 1,120,487, which, during the last five years, has undoubtedly increased very materially. Dwellings, however, represent only a small part of the capital invested in buildings of every character which produce enormous rentals. Comparatively little was expected

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COLLECTOR SPECHT'S VIEWS. 'It will decrease the tax collections almos 50 per cent and add to the difficulty of col-It will also delay proceedings here, but not think official notice will be issue until after April 15, the day set for the clesing of the account here. Then according to my understanding, orders will issued requesting taxpayers to call at this some will find taxed. The law should be in by penalty of 50 per tardy persons and if persons fail to for example if a come of \$10,000 per and also that be inflicted on a additional 50 per ce any returns at all paid taxes on i and made the r turn after the pelled as a pena and so on. Franky persons with the decimal persons with the deci pay taxes on \$15,0 ent appearance pay penalties.

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As Reed Sees It.

PORTLAND, Me., April 9.-Ex-Speaker the House of Representatives, Thomas B. Reed, said to representative of the press but, last night, when asked his opinion of the difficult of the full decision has not reached us, but it seems, as far as it has gone, to be what might have been expected after the arguments.

ments before the court. That the court was evenly divided on the result shows on what thin ice the Democrats were willing to attack the tariff."

CONGRESS NOT COMPETENT. The British View of the Income Tax

LONDON, April 9.—Commenting editorially on the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States on the income tax, the

the United States on the income tax, the Times says:
"The Supreme Court has once more in a very striking way reminded the citizens of the United States that Congress is not competent. Probably, doubly invidious as this partial tax would become, the Government in their extremity will proceed to collect it. It remains to be seen whether the Government will be able to compel foreigners or non-resident Americans to pay. With Congress not sitting, it is not easy to see how the deficiency arising from the court's decision will be provided for."

The Globe this afternoon, referring to the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States as to the constitutionality of the income tax, says:

Gazette comments on the reme Court decision in a similar strain, adds: "No one has suggested that this ust tribunal can be bribed in the manfamiliar to the litigants in some of inferior courts of the Union, Still, it gnificant that the politics of the various ges are carefully mentioned in the discharge."

CONTINUE THE CONTEST.

Suits Will Be Brought to Test the Validity of Other Parts of the Law.

NEW YORK, April 9.—John G. Moore, who brought the original suit contesting the validity of the income tax law, said last night: "I am advised by my counsel that the court divides equally on the question of the validity of the tax so far as the \$4,000 exemption is concerned. There is a strong expression of opinion by Justice Field that the entire law is unconstitutional. This, however, cannot be decided until there is a full bench. The question as to the invalidity of the law on account of the \$4,000 exemption can be raised by a motion for a rehearing before the full bench or by making a payment under protest and suing the collector to recover the money. This is only a partial victory. I intend to continue the contest against the law, and, if necessary to do so, I will make my return, pay the taxes, then institute suit to recover.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 9.—Judge owel E. Jackson was seen to-day at his untry home and asked as to his physical condition and the prospect of returning to the bench. He said:

resume my duties on the bench at term of court in October. My physive me every encouragement to that, but will not allow it now as I am not strong enough."

Jackson is much improved in ap-He keeps up with the work of teme Court by reading the decisions, resent to him regularly.

Jackson has no intention of reading has never had. Only a few the sent Col. Malone word that he is enough to enough to enough a few hunt.

The Terms Depew Applies to Gov. Altgeld of Illinois.

NEW YORK, April 9.—Chauncey M. Depew last night replied to a recent interview
with Gov. Altgeld of Illinois.

Said Mr. Depew: "This man Altgeld is
an iridescent human humbus. He flutters in the uncertain sunshine of notoriety.
I did not mention his name in my speech,
I said that Debs raised a revolution that
awed two Governors and which it took the
United States troops to quell. It seems he
has found that the shoe fits him, and without any further urging puts it on. He
stands convicted upon his own testimony.
He says I prefer to wrap myself in the
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VALPARAISO, Chill, April 9.-Gen. Caceres, former President of Peru, arrived here last night on the British warship Serapis. He will go to Montevideo and remain there eight months. He will then return to Peru and retire to private life.

Vice-President Borgono of Peru has also arrived here and will live permanently in Chill. He is a cousin of the Minister of War.

burned in the streeets. The press was slightly damaged.

Gen. Caceres was proclaimed dictator of Peru in April of last year, after the death of President Bermudez, and, by the aid of bayonets, was chosen President on May 10. He is 60 years old and entered the Peruvian army at the age of 18, and left his military studies to assist in the suppression of an insurrection in Arequipa.

He had shown much proficiency in his studies, and when in the army but a short time exhibited such decided military genius, besides personal bravery, that before he was 19 years of age he was commissioned a second lieutenant. He has fought in thirty-seven battles and opposed Iglesias, whom the Chilians had made dictator before exact that the chilians had made dictator before exact that the second term. His personal character is far more that of a soldier than of a politician, and hence arises the cry of the opposition that his Government does not fall short of a military regime.

MEXICO AND GUATEMALA. Terms of the Settlement of the Boun dary Dispute.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

MEXICO, Mexico, April 9.—The Government will publish the settlement between Mexico and Guatemala.

The Government of Guatemala declared IRIDESCENT HUMAN HUMBUG. that, thinking it had right to do so, is has exercised rights of sovereignty in the territory of West Secantum, and it has not in-tended to offend Mexico. Nevertheless, for

MOONSHINING UP TO DATE.



The Dire Straits to Which Our Corporations Are Driven by the Income Tax.

BEEFSTEAK I

Prices Have Gone Up in Retail Markets Over 33 1-3 Per Cent.

RESTAUR ANTS SUFFERING.

A State of Affairs Which Shows How Kansas Drouths May Affect the St. Louis Dinner Table.

pork continue to advance, unless there is a goodly bank account to fall back upon. Prices, for the past two months, have been ising steadily, and, according to dealers, they will continue to rise until July 1, next. It is really unfortunate, on the whole, that

over those of a month or two ago. Pork

Well, not if the prices of beef, mutton and A Strange Story from Texas About Buried Treasure.

named Harding, considerably advanced in years, recently dreamed for several nights Lent has almost expired.

The rise in prices is most felt in the beef market. It ranges from 33 1-3 to 50 per cent thickness, and lying beneath that rock was concealed \$11,000. Mr. Harding had the

concealed \$11,000. Mr. Harding had the same vision several nights in succession, when he began thinking of the dreams. After dream number 7 he went to a spiritual medium to learn whether these premonitions had been caused by fate. The medium said the dreams were true—that there was money there, and would be found exactly as dreamland and fairles had in dicated as they bent above his pillow o'nights.

A contract was entered into with the medium by which he was to receive half the amount found, and the two went to work digging for gold. With showel and spade they busied themselves from morning till night. With the feverish impatience that has marked the pursuit of fortune since the dawn of creation they worked away, until a day or so ago the diggers came upon an old rusty can containing \$1,100. They found the rock, and its actual size, etc., corresponded with the description in the dreams. The two men will continue their search, and expect to find the entire \$11,000.

The find has caused great excitement here, and many people are seen wending their way to the spot with spades, shovels, etc., expecting to take a hand in the search for the hidden treasure.

have to look ahead during the year, and strike an average on these."

About the same state of affairs exists at the St. Nicholas Hotel, according to H. A. Boilholter, the chef.

At the restaurants the advance is being most disastrously felt.

"We can't advance our bill of fare prices." said Geo. M. Blair, of the Model. "because the public won't stand it. But we are not making any money. We are only staying in the city, and are glad to do that. We buy our meats at wholesale, but the last price we paid for beef was an advance of 1½ cents on beef and 2 cents on pork, Mutton was the same way, and we expect to pay still more."

"We are beginning to feel it, but not so much as we will later," said Mr. A. Wilson, and when it comes I do not see how we can help raising our bill of fare prices, at least on such items as porterhouse steaks and the like."

HIS DREAM CAME TRUE.

MISSOURI CROPS.

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Wheat Came Through Winter Well and Is in Fine Condition.

COLUMBIA, Mo., April 9.—The weekly rop bulletin of the Missouri Department of the Missouri Department of the weather was quite cool and heavy frosts on pork, Mutton was the same way, and we expect to pay still more."

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AFTER A POT OF GOLD.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.
FORT WORTH, Tex., April 9.—A man Conductor Wilson Is Searching for Old Samuel Samson Left to Die Under Buried Money.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.
SEDALIA, Mo., April 9.—Conductor Chas.
A. Wilson, running on the M., K. & T. out A. Wilson, running on the M., K. & T. out of Sedalla, is making a patient search for \$15,000 in gold, which he believes is buried in a large jug, near New Franklin, Mo. He has in his possession a diagram which he secured from a stockman at Terrell, Tex. As the story goes, one of the old James gang years ago was implicated in a bank robbery in North Missouri. In escaping across the Missouri River he was shot three times, but succeeded in burying his treasure before being captured. He was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary. He gave the diagram to the stockman and implored that the money be dug up and used to get him out of prison.

Conductor Wilson claims to have visited the spot and to have found the directions correct, with the exception of the absence of several trees, which have been cut down since the treasure was buried. He proposes to make a vigorous search for the gold.

EIGHT PERSONS WERE ENTOMBED.

Sudden Collapse of Two Buildings at Wheeling, W. Va.

FIVE PROBABLY KILLED. The Vicar General of the Diocese

Among Those Buried Under the Ruins.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 9.-This morning shortly after 8 o'clock the five-story business house of Chapman & Sons on Main street in the wholesale district and the adjoining four-story hardware estab-lishment of T. T. Hutchinson fell in sudden-ly and without warning, burying seven

persons in the ruins.

"Dad" Williams, a carpenter, escaped with serious injuries, but T. T. Hutchinson, the veteran merchant, and the following employes of his establishment were entombed:

M. J. FORD, salesman.

P. J. HORAN clerk

P. J. HORAN, clerk. Eugene Burch, clerk.
BOB WINCHES, a clerk, and a Western

BOB WINCHES, a clerk, and a Western Union mesenger boy. Harry Cowl, were caught in the aliey and buried.

Hutchinson was taken out with two ribs broken and other injuries and cannot live. At 10 o'clock the only other body recovered is that of Ford, whose injuries are not definitely known. He is conscious at present, however.

The Hutchinson building was of light construction and was declared unusife years ago. The Fire Department did effective work in keeping down the flames, while volunteers went to the rescue of the victims of the disaster.

At 10:25 Michael J. Ford was taken from the ruins alive, but badly hurt. One leg was broken and he received internal injuries. It is thought he will recover. He had been pinned beneath an iron girder, and the dead body of young Horan lay across him.

It is now known that Rev. Father H. F.

DEATH'S GRIM VISIT.

as did Samuel Samson of Wellston, Mo, is to meet the grim visitant with a pathos greater than his own. Samuel Samson has been for years a St. Louis County pauper. He had a monthly bounty of \$5, and by the kindness of the butchers and grocers of Wellston he managed to keep body and soul together. Whatever money the old man picked up in addition to this bounty was spent on whisky. The old man was a disgraceful toper. He was a well educated man, had been rich and twice married. His second wife, his one child and two step-children live in the county, and he staggered past their door daily to his bachelor den without the township.

Last Tuesday there was a school election in the county. Samson had drawn his pauper's bounty the day previous, and, as usual, went on a spree. Drinks were free on election day, and the old man was terribly drunk by sundown. He sank unconscious in the gutter at Easton avenue, and the Suburban crossing. Alex Stube and John Gibbons, clerks in a grocery store, picked him up and carried him to the wagon shed back of Henry Detersaloon, but she was not notified of her father's condition.

The old man was sposed to be drunk, and was left to lie in the open shed, unpretected, all night. At 10 o'clock Wednesday morning Dr. W. F. Pots was standing on the corner, when one of the loungers about the saloon asked him to take a look at the old man. The doctor found him dead, but still warm, showing that life had departed only a short time before. Either through neglect or through ignorant construction of the law, the corpse was left to lie in the open aft until sundown, and when the Coroner came 'a verdict of death from old age and exposure was rendered.

Then Mrs. John Stube took her father's body in, and the day following gave it The first produced the same of the order to the control of the con

BEN CABEL

Sees No Good to Come of the Illinois Democratic Convention.

HINRICHSEN TO THE FRONT.

Senator Palmer's Objections to the Call Answered by the Committee Chairman,

CHICAGO, Iil., April 9.—Ben Cabel, member of the Democratic State Central Committee, does not see that any good end will be gained by the silver convention which the State Central Committee has set for June 4. "The manner in which this convention was called is absolutely unprecedented in the history of the Democratic party," said Mr. Cabel, shortly before departing for New York last night. "It seems to me that the

ast night. "It seems to me that the State Central Committee acted unwisely in making the call at all. The whole silver

SENATOR PALMER ANSWERED. Chairman Hinrichsen Surprised at the Change of Base.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 9.-Mr. Hinrichsen, Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, speaking of Senator Palmer's interview regarding the call for a convention to consider the monetary question, said that, if he had not been assured to the contrary, he would have said the interview was bogus. The position assumed by Senator Palmer was so entirely different from that of a few years ago that Mr. Hinrichsen said he could not understand it. That Senator Palmer or any other true Democrat could oppose the submission to the people of such a vital question seemed to Hinrichsen beyond belief. He was glad, however, that the discussion had been opened up; it will give every man a chance to stand up and be counted. Mr. Hinrichsen says the supposition that the gold men of the party will be ruled out of the conven-

before it was introduced, and it received the vote of every Democrat in the House. This is the same Legislature that elected Palmer.

Mr. Hinrichsen added that the plan of the Nords: "What settlement?" The Count's mords: "What settlement?" The Count, it is stated, sent back four words. "Settlement for this country, cabled him these words: "What settlement?" The Count, it is stated, sent back four words. "Settlement for this country, cabled him these words: "What settlement?" The Count, it is stated, sent back four words. "Settlement for this country, cabled him these words: "What settlement?" The Count, it is stated, sent back four words. "Settlement for this country, cabled him these words: "What settlement?" The Count, it is stated, sent back four words. "Settlement for this country, cabled him these words: "What settlement?" The Count, it is stated, sent back four words. "Settlement for this country, cabled him these words: "What settlement?" The Count, it is stated, sent back four words. "Settlement for this country, cabled him these words: "What settlement?" The Count is stated, sent back four words. "Scouth for

show, according to numbers, in this popular assembly, and while I believe the free sliver men will have an overwhelming majority, yet if the gold men are the most numerous they will prevail.

"Senator Palmer's position on the sliver question at this time is another cause for surprise to his friends. It will be remembered that in 1891 Representative Thomas F. Ferns of Jerseyville introduced a resolution in the House instructing our United States Senators to vote for the free coinage of silver. This resolution was approved by Senator Palmer before it was introduced, and it received the vote of every Democrat in the House. This was the same Legislature that elected Senator Palmer to the position he now occupies. The diffliculty with me is, I suppose, that I cannot keep up with these rapid changes in the minds of great men.

"The State Committee, in preparing for the campaign of 1896, found itself confronted with the fact that on the only probable issue before the people the Democratic party was by no means a unit. In starting a campaign of education, it dared not assume that the party would take any one particular position, consequently it determined to take the only true Democratic course and to call on the party, as a whole, for instructions. The convention in June will no doubt give such instructions, and the campaign of education will be carried out on the lines laid down by the representatives of the party. The committee is proud of the course it has taken, for that course is thoroughly in line with Democratic principles."

TWO KILLED.

Serious Wreck Reported in a Railroad in Vermont.

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., April 2.—A serious wreck is reported on the Passumpsine Rail-way, near Smithville, caused by a boulder on the track. The engineer and fireman are said to have been killed.

want is out of its banks and the lower part ure Passed by the Legislature.

SEDALIA, Mo., April 2—at a meeting of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of the Missouri Pacific to-night, ringing the resolutions were adopted, politicning the resolutions were adopted, politicning the Gineral Assembly at the extra session to the fellow-servant bilk.

ANNA DICKINSON HEARD.

She Speaks for Herself in Her Suit to

SCRANTON, Pa., April 2.—After an interval of a week the action of Anna Dickinson to secure damages from those who were responsible for her incarceration in the Danville Insane Asylum in 1831 was resumed before Judge W. W. Acheson in the United States Circuit Court here. The plaintiff was called to the witness stand to give evidence in rebuttal. Her first statement was that everything she said in the letter she sent to her brother at Los Angeles, Cal.

tiff was called to the witness stand to give evidence in rebuttal. Her first statement was that everything she said in the letter she sent to her brother at Los Angeles, Cal, while in the asylum was absolutely true. She denied that she had ever taken intoxicating liquors to excess.

"Tell the jury whether there is any truth in the statement regarding undue excitement on your part testified to by Dr. Hileman," said ex-Judge Dalley.

"It is a filthy lie," exclaimed Miss Dickinson, "manufactured for the purpose for which it was used in the courtroom."

Miss Dickinson then described her condition when suffering from a sick headach, for which Dr. Bronson was treating her. "He gave me relief," said the witness rising to her feet, "and out of gratitude I felt for the relief afforded, I thanked God, and thinking the doctor a gentleman and a Christian, I kissed his forehead as an evidence of the thankfulness I felt. In view of the testimony given by Dr. Bronson on the point, I ask God to forgive me for that act," solemnly concluded the witness, with a dramatic gesture, as she said down.

Miss Dickinson said she not only gave dresses to Susan B. Anthony, but indorsed a note for \$5,000 which Miss Anthony defaulted in payment. She admitted having sent, while in the Danville asylum, a telegram to Jay Gould, asking for \$1,000,000.
"I sent this telegram," she continued, "to Gould, who backed Whitelaw Reid in wrecking the New York Tribune, when Horace Greeley was its editor. Horace Greeley, a sane man, was seized at the instance of both and thrown into an asylum, where he died two weeks after his incarceration. That is why I sent the telegram to Gould in care of the Tribune, instead of direct to Gould himself."

As to why she refused to leave the asylum because a jackal brought me there and a jackal would take me away."

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HOW MUCH DID HE GET?

Stories of the Castellane Settlement Conflict.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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PARIS, April 3.—The Marquis de Castel lane admits that there was a marriage set tlement when his son, the Count de Castel lane, wedded Miss Anna Gould in New York. The sum of money settled upon the Count was 15,000,000 francs. Special to The Post-Dispatch.

Special to The Pest-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 9.—George J. Gould, when seen said: "I do not care to again deny a story which, I have already denied."

There was a good deal of gossip before the wedding as to the amount of the settlement. George J. Gould denied that there was any settlement whatever. At her wedding the Countess Castellane was worth at least \$15,000,000 as her share of her father's estate. Rumor had it she had given her titled husband \$2,000,000. He was said to have admitted this was his portion.

In France the husband has control of the income or of the lump sum of money contributed by the wife under the marriage contract. If the Countess Castellane should die childless, her property would revert to her brothers and sisters, with the exception of the marriage settlement, if any were made.

A telegram from London, dated Feb. 12, stated that the Count's mother, before sailing for this country, cabled him these

House bill No. 40, amending the law relating to

House bill No. 825, rearranging the Circuit Court in Saline County.

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House bill No. 154, amending the law in relation to the formation of new school districts.

House bill No. 154, amending Circuit Courts to cause the Count of first or more tax-payers.

House bill No. 535, amending the law relating to witnessen in Juntices' courts.

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House bill No. 456, appropriating \$12,000 for Statues of Thomas H. Benton and Francis F. Blair.

House bill No. 801, amending chap. 43, relating to House bill No. 801, amending chap. 43, relating to House bill No. 801, amending chap. 43, relating to

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Wondrous Plan Devised to Anni hilate the Japanese.

CHINAMAN'S OWN INVENTION

Poles Would Trip the Japs, Water Wet Their Powder, and the Rest Would Be Easy.

washington, April 9.—Japanese mail advices bring some interesting bits of information not covered in cable dispatches. An excellent scheme for the annihilation of the Japanese submitted by a sage of high repute is produced from a Chinese newspaper. The scheme was originated in answer to the proclamation of the Governor of Nankin, who ordered all those under his jurisdiction to devise some scheme for the destruction of all the Japanese. The of Nankin, who ordered all those under his jurisdiction to devise some scheme for the destruction of all the Japanese. The scheme is this; Every soldier should be armed with a sword, a long bamboo pole and a bucket of water. The pole and the bucket should be held with the left hand, while the sword was grasped with the right. On charging down upon the enemy the buckets should be hurled at the opposing ranks, so as to wet their powder and render their guns useless. The bamboo poles should then be thrust between the legs of the enemy and given a twist, which would cause the Japanese to topple over in confusion. After that it would be an easy matter to finish off the dripping and prostrate foes with swords.

The Governor, it appears, did not take kindly to the suggestion made, and, as the story goes, drove the pseudo sage from his presence in a fit of rage.

Evidently the stoutest resistance which the Japanese expeditionary army as it advances on Pekin will meet, says one of the Japanese papers, will be by the Mohammedan soldiers of China. This was indicated by the conduct of Gen. Tsao at the battle of Phyong Yang. He acquitted himself as a true general should, while Yei and the other Chinese Generals disgraced themselves by their pusilanimity. Gen. Tsao's conduct at Phyong Yang and Admiral Ting's at Wei-Hal-Wei were, the papers say, the solitary bright spot in China's record during the war. Tsao was a patriarch of the Chinese Mohammedans. A story has been told that when the news of Tsao's death reached his native district his wife declared that she would collect some 2,000 Amazons and avenge the death of her husband, and that the Mohammedans shared her resolution.

While some journals are more moderate in their demands, others declare in unequivocal terms that peace is an impossibility until the flag of the Rising Sunfloats over Pekin.

HELD UP THE MAIL. Insurgents Rob the Postman and Cut Telegraph Wires.

NEW YORK, April 9.- The Herald has the llowing special cablegram from Havana: Reports of insurgent outbreaks have been numerous in the last three days. As far as can be learned, however, no battle has been fought. The province of Santiago de Cuba is still the most restless portion of the island Gen. La Chambre, who commands the Spanish troops in active pursuit of the insurgents in this province, has been at Palma Soriano, to the northeast, and across the mountains from Santiago city for several days. He operates from this base in the near-by districts, which are overrun frequently by insurgent bands. A report received from him this morning says that a party of 139 insurgents attacked the San Leandro postman and his guards yesterday morning and overpowered them before revolvers could be drawn. Before liberating their captives, the insurgents cut the tele-

THE LOST REINA REGENTE. The Fate of the Spanish Ship Settled Beyond Doubt.

MADRID Antil 9.-Further evidence, t A bottle that had been washed ashore was picked up and in it was found a piece of paper on which was written in pencil a message signed by the captain of the cruiser. The message was dated March 10, 9 p. m., twelve miles distant from Bajo Acrtanos, states that the position of the vessel was then, hopeless.

At a cabinet meeting held to-day it was decided to officially announce the loss of the Reina Regente. The Minister also decided that the Government would assist the families of the crew.

NEW YORK SWEAT SHOPS. There Are 5,000 of Them, Employing Over 70,000 Men and Women.

ion before the Assembly Committee in-restigating the "sweat-shops" of this city resterday, John Francy, a factory inspecyesterday, John Franey, a factory inspector, said there were 5,000 "sweat-shops" in New York which employed over 70,000 hands, 20 per cent of whom were women. In Brooklyn there were about 300 shops and in Jersey City 1,200, having a proportionate number of hands to the New York shops. Long Island and Jersey inspectors had complained because of the increased number of "sweating" contractors in their districts. This was due to the fact that New York contractors had been driven out by the vigorous enforcement of the law. Last year slatty persons were arrested and fined from 330 to 550 each for violating the "sweating" statutes.

William Zeigler Wants a Receiver for CHICAGO, Ill., April 9.—Wm. Zeigler of New York, a stockholder in the Lake Street Elevated Railroad, has made application in the Federal Court for the appointment of a receiver for the road. He charges the Board of Directors with attempting to wreck the road, and claims the interests of the company have not been properly pro-tected.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., April 2.—A letter from Capt. Clausen of the schooner Mar-querite of this port, dated Dyrejord, Ice-and, March 14, announces the vessel's ar-rivel after a passage of sixteen days. She s the first to reach there this season. Capt. Clausen says there is no leprosy there and the natives report that the weather has been the finest for twenty-five

Gov. Joshua H. Marvil.

Other Things.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 9.—Pho yesterday Phophecies are features at each day's session of the annual conference of the reorganized church of Latter Day Saints, which has Joseph Smith, the son of the original Mormon prophet, for President. It is customary for those members who deliver prophecies to close their eyes and speak impressively. The faithful believe when delegates so deliver themselves they are speaking the words of God. Sister Mary Brewster of West Virginis was one of the prophets yesterday. She warned all the brethren that they must humble themselves still more to be prepared for the coming of the day of judgment, which she declared was close at hand. Sister Brewster is credited with having made a similar prophecy seventeen years ago.

A delegate from Canada, R. E. Evans, was aroused by the words of Sister Brewster, and he made a speech on the accuracies of Mormon prophecy. There could be no doubt about them, he said, since a whole congregation in Canada had been given evidence that the reorganized church of Latter Day Saints received direct communications from the Almighty. In the speaker's presence and before the eyes of the whole congregation an angel had appeared in the pulpit of the Canadian church.

A brother from Iowa declared that he had been to heaven either in the body or the spirit, which he could not say. The streets were paved with gold, and he met the Savior walking on them.

TWO MORTALLY WOUNDED.

Three Men Shot in an Impromptu Duel

SAN JACINTO, Cal., April 9.-A desperate shooting affray ocurred last night at the South San Jacinto saloon. Three men were shot and two of them are mortally wounded. Charley Marshall of Bowers and Frank Hamilton, a colored deputy sheriff of Cahuilla, did the shooting with 4-calibre Calibre Larson.

of Cahuilla, did the shooting with 44-calibre Colt's revolvers.

Albert Larson, an innocent party, happened to pass at that moment and received a bullet from Marshall's revolver which entered his back and passed through the navel and grazed the wrist. He will die.

Hamilton claims Marshall shot twice, the first one of the bullets entering Hamilton's waist and passing out through his right side, besides two other wounds.

Marshall received only a slight wound in his left arm, the bullet entering at the wrist and coming out at the elbow. Hamilton's wounds are fatal. Hamilton and Marshall had an altercation over a debt that Hamilton owed another man,

ASPHALT PATENT CASE.

Gen. Averell May Win His Suit Against the Barber Company.

special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 9.—After thirteer years, the suit of Gen. William W. Aver-ell against the Barber Asphalt Paving Co. s nearing an end,

Gen. Averell is now living in Bath, Steuben County, N. Y. Edward J. de Smidt, a French chemist, now dead, came to this country in the '70s, when Gen. Averell was making experiments with asphalt. De Smidt claimed that he possessed the only proper formula. The two formed a partnership, but the General found that De Smidt's alleged discoveries were useless, and renewed his experiments.

The General obtained the consent of the authorities in this city and laid a substantial pavement for several blocks around the Worth monument. This asphalt was found to be very enduring, and the General formed a partnership with a Mr. Barber and several others under the title of "The New York and Trisidad Asphalt Paving Co."

Barber, so the General alleges, saw that there was "barrels of gold" in the new enterprise, but when the General fell ill and was disabled for several months, he allowed the company to relax into "incouous desuetude." Finally business became so bad that the company was disabled.

Then Barber organized "The American Paving Co.," and used the De Smidt patents which he had purchased. Later these were discarded, asserts Gen. Averell, and the Averell patents substituted and used with large profit by the new company, under the name of "The De Smidt Patents."

the public Barber bought up all the stock of the moribund company. The new company prospered. It paved nearly the whole city of Buffalo, at an expense of about \$3,00,000. Gen. Averell claimed that he had been defrauded out of his patents, and sued. Judge Patterson decided in the General's favor June 2, 187, and the Supreme Court affirmed the decision and appointed Geo. B. Morris of Wall street referee to take testimony as to what sum Barber was entitled to as a stockholder of the old company and as the patentee Mr. Morris held the last hearing only a few days ago.

Gen. Anson G. McCook was appointed by the Attorney-General receiver of Barber's company, and ordered the books produced. Barber alleges that his company has no books.

refused.

If the General wins his case, nearly every asphalt company in existence may be liable for infringement of his patents. He will bring suit in every city where asphalt pavements have been laid.

AFTER EIGHTY HOURS. The Bock Island Finally Gets Through

Its Trains. FALCON, Colo., April 9.-The Rock Island, after an eighty hours' blockade, de-molishing two rotary and one wedge snowmolishing two rotary and one wedge snowploughs, besides working a large force of
men with shovels, got their delayed trains
through last night, carrying a sorry-looking
but happy lot of passengers. The road encountered the worst drifts a few miles east
and west of Limon Junction, requiring
twenty-four hours' hard work to open up
four miles of track.

Dr. Logan has just returned from a professional trip covering the major portion of
the country for fifty miles east and northeast, and estimates the loss of live stock in
the territory mentioned at from \$40,000 to
\$80,000. He says dead horses, cattle and
sheep are piled up against fences running
east and west and hundreds are found out
on the open prairie.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., April 9.—Trainmen eport that there are hundreds of cattle lying dead alongside the railroad tracks, where they drifted during the storm and

MRS. LANGTRY SUED. Manager Leavitt of the Denver Thea-

ter Wants \$1,200: NEW YORK, April 3.—Mrs. Langtry has been sued for 1,200 damages by M. B. Leavitt, proprietor of the Denver Theater (Colorado). The plaintiff claims that three years ago Mrs. Langtry made an engagement to appear in his theater which she did not fulfill. Service was made upon Mrs. Langtry's attorney yesterday.

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you. Every grade at every price-all the new

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beauty to your home. You are always welcome to call and see our elegant assortment

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PRONOUNCED A FAKE.

The Fossil Bones Found in Cherokee

Strip Belong to a Whale.

LAWRENCE, Kan., April 9.-Dr. W. Wil-

LAWRENCE, Kan., April 9.—Dr. W. Williston, professor of paleontology in the State University, has returned from Humboldt, where he examined what purported to be the fossil bones of an enormous animal found in the Cherokee strip. He declares that it was only an ordinary whalebone. How a modern whale ever reached the center of the continent could probably be explanied better, he says, by the persons who claimed to have disinterred it in the Indian Territory. The bones were evidently shipped here several years ago and buried. They were petrified, and it is nothing more or less than a money-making hoax.

TO GET REINSTATED.

Charity Commissioner Householder

Sues Out a Writ of Mandamus.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 8.—M. A. House-holder, the member of the State Board of Charitable Institutions, who has been sus-pended by Gov. Morrill pending an investi-gation of his official conduct by a legis-lative committee, to-day appeared before Chief Justice Horton of the Supreme Court and sued out a writ of mandamus to com-pel the Governor to rescind or revoke his order of suspension. Judge Horton granted the usual alternative writ, returnable April 30.

In his petition Householder claims that, as his office is a constitutional one, the Governor has no power to suspend or investigate, and that the only way his removal can be accomplished is by impeachment made by the House of Representatives and trial and conviction by the State Senate.

AFTER MASHERS AGAIN.

The Most Beautiful Display of Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords in the City.



In Needle, Opera, Favorite-in fact, all styles of Toes. Men's, Boys' and Youths' Shoes in all shades of Tan, Brown and

We are the people for up-to-date styles and good value.

N. BROADWAY.

Jefferson and Olive. Acting Chief of Police Reedy issued structions Monday morning to Capt. O'Malley of the Fifth District to detail a number of officers in citizens' clothes for the exof officers in citizens' clothes for the express purpose of rooting out the gang of would-be mashers infesting the vicinity of Jefferson avenue and Olive street.

For some time that corner has been the favorite stamping ground of a number of well-dressed, addle-pated monomaniacs, who pose there during the afternoon and evening, ogling women, often addressing insulting remarks to them as they pass by. This practice has become so pronounced of late that numbers of ladies, bearing in mind former experiences, go a block or two out of their way rather than be subjected Wait for it. 1830-1832 Franklin Ay.

Acting upon the Chief's orders, any person found offending will be promptly arrested and severely punished.

TO DOWN DEADBEATS. Local Retail Grocers and Butcher Form a Combination.

The old-time difference between retail and wholesalers, namely, the supplying of consumers by the latter, came up again before the Retail Grocers' Association at their meeting Monday night at the Real Estate Exchange. A lively discussion ensued on the subject. The monthly report of the Collection Department was read and several new members were elected.

Then the meeting turned its attention to devising means for circumventing deadbeats. Mr. H. C. Grenner said that the credit system, as practiced by merchants, was largely responsible for the existing state of affairs and that co-operation among grocers, butchers, etc., was necessary to obviate that evil.

After a number of resolutions were offered and passed upon nominations were made for a new Board of Directors, to be elected at the next meeting.

BUY COER THAT WILL BURE.

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COAL AND COKE CO.,
115 North Seventh

Novel Club Meeting. The Novel Club will hold its closing ing for the year, Tuesday evening, A There will be a general discussion or inguments for and against the microtel, which have come up during the year.

Avoid Danger.

Judge Fliteraft sustained the defend demurrer in the suit of the St Louis I age Co. against the St Louis, Alton & 1 Hauts Rallroad Co. for \$2,000 damage discrimination in favor of the St. I Transfer Co. and against the defendant

TRUCKS,

SISTER FOR FORTY YEARS.

Dies of Pneumonia, After an Illnoof Eight Days. Sister Mary Clare Ray, a Sister of Charity, who has nursed the sick in the St. Louis Mullanphy Hospital for forty years, died Monday. Eight days ago she was well and able to attend to her duties, but pneumonia laid its grip upon her and she succumbed. She was 70 years old and a native of Ireland. She has no relatives in this city. hative of frame.
this city.
The funeral will take place from the hospital chapel Wednesday at \$ a. m., and the interment will be in the Sisters of Charity lot in Calvary Cometery.
Sister Mary Clare was in the Mullanphy Hospital before it moved from Fourth and Spruce streets.

Angust Weber, of the architectural firm of Gracole, Weber & Graves, will file an application for the building commissioner-nip with Mayor Walbridge this week. Mr. Weber's application is indorsed by a host of prominent business men and politicians. This is Mr. Weber's introduction nto politics.

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DEATHS.

OLIVE STREE

ORAM—In Chicago, on the Sth inst., Margaret Ann Oram, widow of the late John Oram. Funeral—on Wednesday, 10th inst., at 11 o'clock a. m., from the rooms of George N. Lynch, 4218 Olive street, to Bellefontaine Cem-

T.-Monday, April 8, Sister Mary Clare, Sister of Charity, aged 70 years. Funeral from St. Louis Mullamphy Hospital, Wednesday, April 10, at 9 a, m.

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GEYSER ON GRAND AVENUE.

Big Water Main Hursts and Terrifies And Chris I the Bearby Besidents. Was a Lo

When a Minch water main under high pressure breaks loss there is certainly to be trouble and a whole lot of water.

There was belt water and trouble at Grand avenue and Forest Park boulevard for two hours early Tuesday morning.

Just how much the water level in Compton Hill reservoir fell during that time has not yet been ascertained by Water Commissioner Holman, but from the appearance of the two thoroughfares during the imitation of Niagara, the steamboats must be having trouble at Cairo.

At 2 o'clock Tuesday morning there was sudden upheaval of earth, a roar, a shower of mud and then a stream of water shooting heavenward, something over four feet in diameter at the summit, and is feet in height.

All good people in the neighborhood were asleep, but they were aroused. When they peered from upper windows they rhought a geyser had suddenly shot upfrom the bowels of the earth. Those who went used for the big and already knee deep. In half an hourthing of a sink at the northern approach to the Grand avenue bridge, and just how deep the water was at this point, Manchester road, even the police did not undertake to say. The water went into cellars, flooded street was at this point, Manchester road, even the police did not undertake to say. The water went into cellars, flooded street car tracks and pedestrians, if there had been any, would have had to swim along the sidewalks.

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All that time the residents were in momentary fear of being drowned out.

The leak is attributed to an accumulation of air in the main.

GASPIPE GOES.

Judge Morris Favors It as a Defensive

Weapon in a Scrap.

JUSTICES' TEST CASE.

Kline to Go to Jefferson to Argue Be-

fore the Supreme Court.

Five Justices of the Peace met at the

Laclede Hotel Monday night and agreed to end Justice Fred A. Kline to Jefferson lity to argue in favor of the constitu-ionality of the fee cleans.

in all of the fee clauses of the Devoy win the Spaulding-Brady suit, now pend-ig in the Supreme Court. The Justices ere Hanley, Sommers, Hennessey, Kline and Zimmerman.

LARISBY GETS HIS MONEY.

Madison Bettor Sues for Lost Coin, and

Gets Judgment.

The case of M. J. Larisey, the St. Louis herse owner, against Louis A. Cella, the Madison race track bookmaker, in which the plaintiff sued to recover money lost in betting at the Madison track last November on the horse San Blas, has been decided in favor of the plaintiff by Circuit Judge Burroughs of the East St. Louis, Belleville and Madison district. The judgment was for \$50.

RESTORED TO CITIZENSHIP.

Case of Max Ringer, Who Served Ten Years for Murder. Special to The Post-Dispatch. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 8.—Gov.

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SHOT FOR ANOTHER.

A Paper Carrier's Mistake Causes a Row That Ends in Blood.

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Mrs. Dabney, who lives on the top floor of the above number, is a subscriber to an afternoon paper which is left at her door daily. Monday a new carrier was placed on that route and the paper was left at Mrs. Bibb's door, down stairs. When Mrs. Dabney returned home about 9 p. m., she looked for her paper in vain. At last she ascertained that it had been left down stairs and was still in the possession of Mrs. Bibbs. She went down stairs to get it and an altercation is said to have arisen between the two women, during which choice epithets were interchanged. The Dabney woman soon left and went upstairs to her own apartments. Mrs. Bibbs followed her up the stairs and continued to hurl offensive language at Mrs. Dabney. The latter shut the door in her face.

A few minutes later, Angel, who is a carcleaner, employed at the Union Depot, and who boards with Mrs. Dabney, opened the door, intending to go down-stairs. As soon as the door opened, he was greeted with a blinding flash and a loud report, and the next moment he fell to the floor, screaming with pain. A bullet had lodged in his right groth.

The shot had been fired by the Bibbs wom-

is expected at any time. There have been several shots exchanged already. Seventy-five pounds of dynamite is known to be in the village. At a meeting of strikers last night it was resolved to continue the strike and force the non-union miners to cease work. Arms are carried openly on the streets, and workmen go armed to work and to the stores. A committee of strikers will wait on the non-union men to-day, when it is expected the matter will come to a crisis. The scene of the trouble is three miles above here on the Ohio side at John E. Williams' mine, the largest in Pomeroy Bend.

GRANITE WARE Injunction Proceedings Begun by the St. Louis Stamping Co.

dal to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, April 9. - The St. Louis ping Company moved yesterday in the me Court for a temporary injunction ng Elwin S. Piper from advertising man & Co. of Berlin Village, L. I., sole makers of "Granite" ware or the word "granite" in advertising

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Arthur Von Briesen, for the plaintthat his clients had manufactured
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diding an important meeting in this city, attended by members from all over Tennesse. The presence of Rev. W. J. Shuey, the soulaty publisher, and Rev. Wm. Mc. Greasurer of the Missionary and Church Extension Board, from Dayton, O. a significant. Chattanooga is Southern headquarters for the secretary and the church organ, the Southern Telescope, which will henceforth be discontinued at Dayton, and published alone at Chattanooga, with W. L. Richardson of Knox-ville editor. A seminary will be built in Upper East Tennessee and the building of many new churches will be immediately entered upon in Southern territory. Revivals will be started here to-morrow.

NOT GUILTY. 's Saving Witness eater Frequenter.

Independent Distillers Think McNulta People Often Speak of Having

The twelve good Constiants composing the jury sitting in judgment on Chris Morrison in the Criminal Court, on Monday afternoon, evidently took to heart a rather bold utter-

Mrs. Jane McCullough's Death Due to a Very Ordinary Cause.

A very pathetic story was told in an afternoon paper of Monday of how Mrs. Jane McCullough had died at her residence, 202 Dickson street, of a broken heart, because of stories of brutality to her son on the part of Workhouse guards.

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AIR BRAKE ASSOCIATION.

Opening Session of the Annual Convention Had at the Lindell.

The Association of Air-Brakemen began its annual session at the Lindell Hotel on the warious railway systems of the United States, Canada and Mexico. The purpose of its organization is purely instructive, and, at its sessions, papers are read and discussions had relative to the perfection of the air-brake system.

There are present at the meeting about 125 members, out of a total of 150.

Mr. C. P. Cass, air-brake instructor of the Frisco, from Monett, Mo., called the meeting to order, in the absence of President S. D. Hutchins, who is detained at home by the death of a member of his family. Neither of the vice-presidents was in attendance. Several technical papers were read on Tuesday morning. The session will continue through Wednesday and Thursday. Officers will be elected on Thursday to serve for the ensuing year.

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BELL TELEPHONE STOCK.

Highest Mark in Thirteen Years.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 2.—Oll took another spurt to-day and at noon the price had jumped to file.

Angel refused to go to the hospital, and this wounds were dressed by Dr. Steinmet.

SHOTS EXCHANGED.

Serious Trouble Anticipated in the Pomeroy (0.) District.

POMEROY, O., April 2.—The mining situation at Mineraville is growing more seven between the strikers and the strangers unployed to take their phoses and a battle expected at any time. There have been eral shots exchanged already. Seventy-village, At a meeting of estition of the pipe lines and taking out certificates, thus making out certificates, thus making out them the difference between the cash price and the speculative makes and the speculative makes and the speculative makes the cash price of the speculative makes and the sp

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Merchants' Exchange was held Monday afternoon. Eleven new members were received by transfer and the certificates of two deceased members ordered redeemed.

The communication from the Wholesale Druggists' Club, asking for the co-operation of the Exchange in a joint meeting of commercial bodies to consider the exchange charges made by the banks on country checks, was approved and a committee will be appointed at the proper time to take part in the discussion looking to the abolishing of the rule.

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A petition was received asking the board to adopt the gradings of hay made by the National Hay Association at its recent meeting in Cleveland. Messra. Sol. J. Quinlivan, H. F. Langenberg and Chris Sharp were appointed a committee to look into the

IN FAVOR OF HOKE.

A Special Master's Report in a Chalk Plate Suit. ATLANTA Ga., April 9.—A decision was rendered to-day by Special Master Slaton in the suit of the Hoke Engraving Plate Co. in the suit of the floke hargraving Plate Co. of St. Louis against R. W. Butler of this city for an infringement of a patent on chalk plates for newspaper out work.

The Special Master's argument is that the Hoke original and reissued patents are valid; that Hoke was the inventor of chalk engraving plates and that Butler, the defendant, an Atlanta plate maker, is an infringer. As chalk-plate engraving has grown its e a most important item in newspaper ork, this finding will be of interest to all ewspaper men.

GEN. T. S. HARRIS. Death of a Missourian Who Served Against the Mormons.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—Gen. T. S.
Harris of Missouri, who served in the Con. ederate army and against the Missou formons, died at his country estate nes ere at Il o'clock this morning.

Horace W. Hibbard's Estate. Horace W. Hibbard's State.
The inventory of the estate of the late forace W. Hibbard, the well-known Vanailia passenger official, was filed with the robate Court Tuesday. The summary is a follows: Insurance policy, \$15,000; cash, \$200.32; Merchants' Exchange certificate, 15; notes and due bills, \$2,159; accounts, \$15; stocks, all of nominal value, \$1,975; oods and chattels, \$77.50; securities pledged a collateral, \$5.60; total, \$34,850.42.

Special to The Post-Disnatch.

TEXARKANA, Tex., April 2.—A wreck occurred on the Cotton Belt Railroad at Bassett's, eighteen miles south of this city last evening. Ten cars were thrown into the ditch and the track considerably torn up, delaying all trains for several hours. No one was injured. The cause of the accident was a broken flange.

"Deathly Sensations."

What Are the Actual Sensations of

Are There Really Any Feelings of Pain When Death Comes !

Everybody has heard or used the expression, "that deathly sensation."

By it is meant the awful sinking sensa sation—the feeling of terrible dropping away from us, as it were, of vitality, as the life principle wanes and ebbs toward death.



MRS. B. J. STOCKWELL

"I had not used one bottle before I felt better. I continued to steadily improve under its use. I am now a well, healthy woman, able to do my own work. I have good digestion and appetite, sleep well and am always cheerful.

"This is what Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy has done for me. I heartily recommend it to everybody. It is a wonderful medicine."

The whole world is amazed at what is being done by Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Nothing like it has ever been known before, it makes the nerves strong as steel, the blood pure and rich, the skin soft and beautiful, and gives to the eyes that brightness and sparkle which indicate perfect health.

There are thousands upon thousands of weak, nervous people, depressed in mind and debilitated in body, particularly at this season of the year, who can be made strong and well by this splendid remedy. It will be found the best spring medicine that one can take, for nothing so quickly and surely gives best spring medicine that one can take, for nothing so quickly and surely gives strength of nerve, invigoration of blood and healthful action of all the organs, as Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve

remedy.

It is not a patent medicine, but the prescription of the most successful living specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th St., New York City. He has the largest practice in the world, and this grand medical discovery is the result of his vast experience. The great reputation of Dr. Greene is a guarantee that his medicine will cure, and the fact that he can be consulted by anyone, any time, free of charge, personally or by letter, gives absolute assurance of the beneficial action of this wonderful medicine.

BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS. Little Prospect of Rates Being Reduced at To-Day's Meeting.

More than ordinary interest is being felt in the regular monthly meeting of the St. Louis Board of Underwriters. That body met at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Louis Board of Underwriters. That body met at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Gay Building, Third and Pine streets, and immediately proceeded to business. As the meeting was in executive sesion no one save the members present yet knows the nature of the business absorbing their attention, although considerable gossip preceded the convening of the members.

Since the Post-Dispatch last Friday presented details of the plan advanced by individual fire insurance agents for a return to the rates of ISS, ostensibly on the condition of the appointment of Capt. Evans as Chief of the Fire Department, posible action of the board at its approaching meeting, has been widely discussed. Business men carying heavy insurance had hoped that some action looking to a discontinuance of the exorbitant demands would be taken at once. Whether or not these hopes have been realized has not developed, but from the trend of the gossip during the day, the chance is small.

That there will be a reduction in the rates, however, was generally conceded. The withdrawal from companies locally represented on the part of the heavy insurers has been such that even members of the board are admitting that concessors are inevitable.

Gossip had it Tuesday, however, that the

DOES HE HOLD THE BAG? "THAT DEATHLY PRELING." SPECIAL LINES REQUIRED FOR EASTER WEEK

THIS WEEK

WE PUT FORWARD PROMINENTLY GOODS PARTICULARLY NECESSARY

FOR EASTER WEAR.

Combining the Most Attractive SPRING OFFERINGS in MILLIMERY, FLOWERS, LACES, NECKWEAR, PARASOLS, RIBBONS, WRAPS AND GLOVES. Will Also Show the BEST VALUES and ATTRACTIVE COMBINATIONS of

DRESS FABRICS

That it has ever been our good fortune to offer the public.

A Visit Through Our DIFFERENT FLOORS, WILL, CONVINCE the INTELLIGENT SHOPPER. EXAMINE PARTICULARLY

Easter Hats and Bonnets.

POPULAR PRICES IN CHOICE GOODS.

A Collection of Imported Bonnets and Home Copies,
Unsurpassed in Taste and Beauty.

Will Open To-DAY Large Assortment SAILOR and WALKING
HATS FROM \$1.00 UP.
Lot CHILDREN'S BAILORS, 75c and upwards.

EASTER CAPES FOR THE COMING WEEK.

A Purchase of OVER 200 SAMPLE CAPES
Has Just Been Made

These are samples.
All Copies FROM FRENCH GARMENTS and Made in the Very Best Manner, of the Best Materials, and No Two ALIKE.

Consequently include the very latest styles in SILK CAPES, LACE CAPES, VELVET CAPES, CLOTH CAPES and CAPES FOR OLD LADIES. They will be on sale to-day At a Little OVER HALP THEIR REGULAR VALUE.
An Early Call is Advised.

EASTER SHIRT WAISTS.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS. An Unlimited Variety of Styles to Select From. We wish to call Especial Attention to

a Lot of 150 Dozen, made expressly for Easter wear, full bosom, high turn-over collar, straight cuff, full sleeve,

50 Dozens PERCALE, in stripes, dots and figures, extra large sleeve, 85 CENTS. A nice selection of Higher Grades, \$1.00, \$1.38, \$1.68, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50.

LADIES' FINE SILK WAISTS.

Splendid Assortment and stripes, including all the Delicate Evening Shades, PRICES \$4.50 to \$35.00.

EASTER GOODS IN

LADIES' READY-MADE SUITS.

Eton Suits, Blazer Suits, Scotch Tweeds, Norfolk Suits, Fancy English Check Dress Suits. Handsome Lines of IMPORTED CREPON SUITS. SEPARATE DRESS SKIRTS in Large Variety.

Children's and Misses' Jackets and Capes

Large line of solid colors and fancy checks, \$1.25 to \$18.00. Lot new style BLOUSE JACKETS, 4 to 12 years, very stylish, \$10.00 to \$20.00. Lot of PANCY CLOTH CAPES, from 8 to 16 years, \$5.00 to \$25.00.

Our Lace and Embroidery Depts.

A Collection of Exclusive Novelties will be seen, repre-Paris, London and America, and not shown in any other house in this city, such as

LADIES' NECKWEAR. Full line of EMBROIDERED and LACE YOURS, the rage of the season in the East.

Easter Handkerchiefs, Expressly bought to sell during the coming week.

Dainty Patterns, in both white and colored edges,

also lace trimmed.

Baster Veils. Splendid collection in this department. ALL PARIS STYLES, MADE UP AND BY THE YARD.

Parasol and Umbrella Dept.

No Spring Garment or Easter Hat is Complete without ing accompanied by one of the many handsome and popular price

PARASOLS.

To-morrow, WEDNESDAY, we will display a complete assortment of Plain and Fancy Parasols,
for street and driving purposes. Among the novelties are
many exclusive and new ideas of our own importation in
Chiffon, Dresden and Lace Effects.

Plain White Japanese Silk Parasols at \$1.35. Double Ruffle White Japanese Silk Parasols, \$1.75 and \$2.00. Coaching and Dress Parasols, in all the new colorings, with natural stock handles, at \$3.50.

Handsome line of Dresden and Plisse Silk Parasols, with decorated Dresden handles to match, at \$5.00 and \$6.00.

Full line of Misses', Children's and Mourning parasols and Parasolettes. SPECIAL BARGAIN FOR EASTER WEEK. 250 Ladies' Silk Umbrellas, close roll, steel rod, and handsome decorated Dresden handles, at \$1.98; actually worth \$3.00.

Men's Silk Neckwear.

All New Effects. 150 dozene MEN'S SILK SCARFS. in choice exclusive patterns, for spring wear,
"The Marquis" Teck,
"The Blenhelm" Wide End Four-in-Hand, "The De Reszke" Four-in-Hand,
"The Malba" Band Bow. The best values and the newest styles obtainable

SIX MINERS INJURED.

Explosion of Black Damp in a Pennsylvania Mine.

NANTICOKE, Pa., April 9.-A frightful

ONB MAN INJURED.

New York Institution for Deaf and Dumb Burned.

NEW YORK, April 9.—The New York In-stitution for the Deaf and Dumb, at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Boule vard, was destroyed by a fire which started vard, was destroyed by a fire which started shortly before midnight last night in the mechanical department on the second floor. Six men were asleep on the third or top floor, and one of them. Wm. McCaffrey, was severely injured by jumping from a window. The others escaped unhurt, except that two were so badly overcome by smoke that they had to be carried out of the building. Loss \$30,000 on building and \$10,000 on machinery and stock.

DREADFULLY NERVOUS.

Countess Russell Could Not Answer in Court.

LONDON, April 9.—In the suit broughy the Countess Russell for a restitution her conjugal rights, the Countess was day subjected to a long cross-examinat day subjected to a long cross-examination by Sir Henry James, formerly Attorno General, leading counsel for Earl Russel During the questioning the Countess to came so nervous that she could not as swer and would only reply: "I am so dreathly nervous, Sir Henry." Later, couns brought out the fact that she was continually charging her husband with immorali and vile practices, and that she tried to sher servants to support her case.

New Missouri Corporations.

Special to The Fost-Dispatch.

JEFERSON CITY, Mo., April 5.—Secreta
ry of State Lessuer to-day issued a certificate of incorporation to the Nunserv
Chemical Co., St. Louis; capital, 118,000
The following companies filed affidavit of
change of name. Moffit and Lee, Commission Co. to Moffit Commission Co., St.
Louis; Ripley-Detrick Supply Co. to Detrick Supply Co.; Allen-Dixon Mercantile
Co. to Dixon Mercantile Co., Kansas City Girls Will Not Strike.

Choice, 50 Cents Each.

303 and 305 N. Broadway Only 40c lb., 8 lbs. for \$1.00. Sent by Express Everywhere

YING'S BRIDE.

A Kansas City Sunday-School Teache Weds a Chinaman.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 2.—Miss May Sharp, aged 20, daughter of a highly respected family was married to Charlie Ying, § wealthy Chinaman before Justice Betts this morning. Charlie is 23 years old. He entered court with his intended garbed in regulation purple, shirt, blue trousers, white shoes and bread-brimmed hat, with cue nicely tied underneath. He displayed a great roll of bills and a draft for 43,00. After the coremony he told Justice Betts that he was going to California. Ying formerly ran a laundry on Grand avenue, but sold out some time ago. Miss Sharps is a teacher in the First Cumberland Presbyterian Bunday School, which has a special class for Chinamen. Ying was one of Miss Sharp's pupils.

THE CITY TREASURY.

Report of the Examining Co Sent to the Mayor. R. Graham Frost, S. D. Merriam and Griswold, examining committee, has abmitted to the Mayor the following r

Shot His Hand to Places.

INSANITY JURISDICTION.

Question arises Over the Powers of the Franklin County Court. A question has arisen as to the jurisdic-ion of the Franklin County Circuit Court n the matter of the Duestrow insanity inin the matter of the Duestrow masnity inquiry, on the score that an insanity defense should, like any other, form part of the regular murder trial. It is held that a Court of Probate has power only to pass upon such a question, to prevent waste of property. Ex-Gov. Charles P. Johnson, who is Duestrow's attorney, socuts such a claim, and quotes the statutes prescribing procedure in case of insanity pleas, which provide that proceedings shall be suspended and a jury ordered to try the insanity plea.

THE ROCKFORD MESSIAH. orge W. Coudry's \$50,000 Damage Suit Against Schweinfurth. CHICAGO, April 8.—The long—delayed trial by which George W. Coudry seeks to collect \$50,000 in a damage suit against Jacob Schweinfurth, the Rockford "Messiah," began in Judge Dunne's Court to-

Trunk Line Committee.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The Trunk Lin
committee is in session here to consider
ast-bound freight and passenger rates

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on of the court was reserved. TED BRETHREN CHURCH. Begin a New Religious Cam-

The Post-Dispatch. ANOOGA, Tenn., April 9.-The of the United Brethren is to-day

Texas Knights of Pythias.

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When a Seinch water main under high pressure breaks loose there is certainly to be trouble and a whole lot of water.

There was both water and trouble at Grand avenue and Forest Park boulevard for two hours early Tuesday morning.

Just how much the water level in Compton Hill reservoir fell during that time has not yet been ascertained by Water Commissioner Holman, but from the appearance of the two thoroughfares during the imitation of Nisgara, the steamboats must be having trouble at Calso.

At 2 o'clock Tuesday morning there was a sudden upheaval of earth, a roar, a shower of mud and then a stream of water shooting heavenward, something over four feet in diameter at the summit, and is feet in height.

All good people in the neighborhood ware asleep, but they were aroused. When they peered from upper windows they thought a goyser had suddenly shot up from the bowels of the earth. Those who wentured fort rubber boots. The water was at this point, Manchester road, even the police did not undertake to say. The water went into cellars, flooded street car tracks and pedestrians, if there had been any, would have had to swim along the sidewalks.

The leaks is attributed to an accumulation when the police did not undertake to your than police. But for an automatic guare in the Water Department the night force there would have been ignorant of the trouble. It was two hours before they knew where the trouble was, the police, according to Secretary Ben Holland, having been slowe in informing them of the seat of warf.

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The leak is attributed to an accumulation of air in the main.

SHOT FOR ANOTHER

A Paper Garrier's Mistake Causes a Row That Ends in Blood.

The mistake of a newspaper carrier in The mistake of a newspaper carrier in leaving a paper at the wrong place Monday evening led to a shooting affray, which resulted in Frank Angel receiving a probably fatal wound at the hands of Cornelia Bibbs. Both parties to the affray are col-ored and reside at the scene of the shootng, 2041/4 Targee street. Angel is said to have been shot by mis-

Angel is said to have been shot by mistake, the Bibbs woman mistaking him in the darkness for Mary Belle Dabney, with whom she had had some difficulty a few minutes before.

Mrs. Dabney, who lives on the top floor of the above number, is a subscriber to an afternoon paper which is left at her door daily. Monday a new carrier was placed on that route and the paper was left at Mrs. Bibb's door, down stairs. When Mrs. Dabney returned home about 9 p. m., she looked for her paper in vain. At last she ascertained that it had been left down stairs and was still in the possession of Mrs. Bibbs. She went down stairs to get it and an altercation is said to have arisen between the two women, during which choice epithets were interchanged. The Dabney woman soon left and went upstairs to her own apartments. Mrs. Bibbs followed her up the stairs and continued to hurl offensive language at Mrs. Dabney. The latter shut the door in her face.

A few minutes later, Angel, who is a carcleaner, employed at the Union Depot, and who boards with Mrs. Dabney, opened the door, intending to go down-stairs. As soon as the door opened, he was greeted with a blinding flash and a loud report, and the next moment he fell to the floor, screaming with pain. A bullet had lodged in his right groin.

The shot had been fired by the Bibbs womtake, the Bibbs woman mistaking him in

groin.
The shot had been fired by the Bibbs woman, who stated, afterwards, that she had remained outside the door, ready to shoot Mrs. Dabney when she came out. When Angel opened the door, she supposed that it was her intended victim, and, without waiting to see, she pulled the pistol from her pocket and fired.

After the shooting, Mrs. Bibbs weeked. After the shooting, Mrs. Bibbs rushed downstairs to her own rooms, where she was arrested soon afterwards by Officers Ryan and Flaherty.

Angel refused to go to the hospital, and his wounds were dressed by Dr. Steinmetz.

SHOTS EXCHANGED.

Serious Trouble Anticipated in the

Pomeroy (0.) District. POMEROY, O., April 9.-The mining sitrious between the strikers and the strangers employed to take their places and a battle is expected at any time. There have been several shots exchanged already. Seventy-five pounds of dynamite is known to be in the village. At a meeting of strikers last night it was resolved to continue the strike and force the non-union miners to cease work. Arms are carried openly on the streets, and workmen go armed to work and to the stores. A committee of strikers will walt on the non-union men to-day, when it is expected the matter will come to a crisis. The scene of the trouble is three miles above here on the Ohio side at John E. Williams' mine, the largest in Pomeroy Bend. is expected at any time. There have been

GRANITE WARE. Injunction Proceedings Begun by the St. Louis Stamping Co.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, April 9. - The St. Louis Stamping Company moved yesterday in the Supreme Court for a temporary injunction restraining Elwin S. Piper from advertising

restraining Elwin S. Piper from advertising Haberman & Co. of Berlin Village, L. I., as the sole makers of "Granite" ware or using the word "granite" in advertising their goods.

Lawyer Arthur Von Briesen, for the plaintiff, stated that his clients had manufactured enameled ware for thirty years, and that for twenty years it had used the word "granite" as a trade-mark.

Lawyer Untermeyer, for the defendant, said that the basis of the plaintiff's claim was the eassumption that, when customers asked for "granite" ware, they were asking for St. Louis ware. The advertisement in question said that the goods were made by Haberman & Co. The trade could not be deceived. The patents had expired, and with them the trade-mark.

The decision of the court was reserved.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH. It Will Begin a New Religious Campaign in Tennessee.

Special to The Post-Dispatch. CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 9.-The Church of the United Brethren is to-day holding an important meeting in this city, attended by members from all over Tennessee. The presence of Rev. W. J. Shuey, society publisher, and Rev. Wm. Mcthe society publisher, and Rev. Wm. McKee, treasurer of the Missionary and
Church Extension Board, from Dayton, O.,
is significant. Chattanooga is Southern
headquarters for the secretary and the
church organ, the Southern Telescope,
which will henceforth be discontinued at
Dayton, and published alone at Chattanooga, with W. L. Richardson of Knoxville editor. A seminary will be built in
Upper East Tennessee and the building of
many new churches will be immediately
entered upon in Southern territory. Revivals will be started here to-morrow.

Texas Knights of Pythias.

al to The Post-Dispatra. FORT WORTH, Tex., April 9.—Brig.-Gen. FORT WORTH, Tex., April 9.—Brig.-Gen. Kleber M. Van Zandt, Jr., commander-in-chief of the Uniform Ranks Knights of Prinias of Texas, left here to-day for Houston to assume command of the Uniform Pythians of Texas. Members of hopersonal staff accompanied him. The co-chief opens at Houston.

NOT GUILTY. And Chris

's Saving Witness

The twelve good Constants composing the jury sitting in judgment on Chris Morrison in the Criminal Court, on Monday afternoon, evidently took to heart's rather bold utter-

GASPIPE GOES.

Judge Morris Favors It as a Defensive Weapon in a Scrap.

Judge Murphy may not like revolvers, but he certainly has no aversion to gas-pipe as a weapon of defense. Charles Fry was on trial Tuesday for assault. Howell pipe as a weapon of defense. Charles Fry was on trial Tuesday for assault. Howell Sullivan was the prosecuting witness. He is an ambulance driver at the City Hospital Fry is a cook at that institution. They quarreled last Thursday, the scrap terminating by Fry hitting Sullivan over the head with a piece of gas-pipe. A large delegation from the City Hospital attended the trial as witnesses. They included Supt. Heine Marks, nurses, patients and various employes. Ex-Mayor Noonan defended Ery and Thos. B. Estep appeared for the prosecution. The witnesses testified that Fry and Sullivan had three fights; that Sullivan first called Fry vits names and Fry then siapped him; that at the dinner table, later, Sullivan slipped up behind Fry and punched him; Fry then invited Sullivan outside, and that the sequel in the yard was Fry smashing Sullivan over the head with a section of gas-pipe. The evidence was rather conflicting as to who struck the first blow. In passing on the case Judge Murphy said: "It seems to me that this case ought never to have been brought into this court. Although it has been shown that the defendant Fry hit this man Sullivan with a gas-pipe, I don't think I ought to punish him for this reason. Sullivan was not preserving the peace of the State himself at the time. It has been shown that the defendant Fry hit this man sullivan was not preserving the peace of the State himself at the time. It has been shown that the defendant fry hit this man sullivan war not preserving the peace of the State himself at the time. It has been shown that the worst of it. Now, I think when a man gets licked in a fight into which he goes voluntarily he ought to stand the consequences and not seek to revenge himself on the winner by

OIL GOES UP. Reaches \$1.40, the Highest Mark in Thirteen Years.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 9.-Oil took an-PITTSBURG, Pa., April 2.—Oil took another spurt to-day and at moon the price had jumped to \$1.40. This is the highest mark since 1832. At the opening the Standard advanced the price for cash oil 7 cents by offering \$1.27. On the exchange May options opened at \$1.29 and rapidly advanced to \$1.34%, and then broke to \$1.32. Then it advanced to \$1.40 and remained at that. According to the last monthly report there are only 565 certificates for 1,000 barrels each outstanding, and that a Pittsburg firm owns half of them. The main reason for the advance is that producers are not selling direct to the Standard, but are for the advance is that producers as selling direct to the Standard, but are putting their oil into the pipe lines and taking out certificates, thus making on them the difference between the cash price and the speculative figure. For cash oil \$1.35 was bid on the Exchange and it is expectation.

RAISED THE PRICE.

COLUMBUS, O., April 9.—Special to the Dispatch from Lima, O., says: The Buck-tye Pipe Line Co. again raised the price of Lima crude oil this morning, making forth Lima districts 73%, South Lima 67%, ndiana 62% per barrel.

JUSTICES' TEST CASE.

Kline to Go to Jefferson to Argue B fore the Supreme Court.

Five Justices of the Peace met at the aclede Hotel Monday night and agreed to end Justice Fred A. Kline to Jefferson send Justice Fred A. Kline to Jetterson City to argue in favor of the constitutionality of the fee clauses of the Devoy law in the Spaulding-Brady suit, now pending in the Supreme Court. The Justices were Hanley, Sommers, Hennessey, Kline and Zimmers.

LARISEY GETS HIS MONEY.

Madison Bettor Sues for Lost Coin, an Gets Judgment.

The case of M. J. Larisey, the St. Louis herse owner, against Louis A. Cella, the Madison race track bookmaker, in which the plaintiff sued to recover money lost in betting at the Madison track last November on the horse San Blas, has been decided in favor of the plaintiff by Circuit Judge Burroughs of the East St. Louis, Belleville and Madison district. The judgment was for \$50.

RESTORED TO CITIZENSHIP. Case of Max Elinger, Who Served Ten Years for Murder. Special to Tee Fest-Dispetch. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 1.—Gov.

Stone to-day restored to citizenship Max Stone to-day restored a ten-year sentence for murder. He was convicted in 1872, leav-ing the prison in 1882.

Anderson-Wade Auction. A sale of more than usual importance and one that will likely attract an interested crowd, will be the auction sale to be held by the Anderson-Wade Realty Co. to morrow afternoon at 2:30, when they will sell to the highest bidder the estate situated at the northeast corner of Sixteenth and Washington avenue, facing also on Luca avenue, the site now being covered with oil Washington avenue, facing also on Lucas avenue, the site now being covered with old tenements. Owing to the fact that business is gradually working westward on this important street and to the very superior adaptability of this particular site for a largi business structure, this property is rengered very desirable—in fact, one of the most desirable corners west of Twelfth street. The sale takes place on the premises.

Independent Distillers Think McNulte.
Is Wicked.

NOT GRIEF.

Mrs. Jane McCullough's Death Due to a Very Ordinary Cause.

A very pathetic story was told in an afternoon paper of Monday of how Mrs, Jane McCullough had died at her residence, 2302 Dickson street, of a broken heart, because of stories of brutality to her son on the part of Workhouse guards.

Dr. W. R. Correll's certificate of death was filed in the case at the Board of Health Tuesday. Mrs. McCullough died of cholera morbus.

AIR BRAKE ASSOCIATION.

Opening Session of the Annual Con-vention Had at the Lindell. vention Had at the Lindell.

The Association of Air-Brakemen began its annual session at the Lindell Hotel on Tuesday morning. The association includes in its membership all of the air-brakemen of the various railway systems of the United States, Canada and Mexico. The purpose of its organization is oursely instructive, and, at its sessions, papers are read and discussions had relative to the perfection of the air-brake system.

There are present at the meeting about 125 members, out of a total of 150.

Mr. C. P. Cass, air-brake instructor of the Frisco, from Monett, Mo., called the meeting to order, in the absence of President S. D. Hutchins, who is detained at home by the death of a member of his family. Neither of the vice-presidents was in attendance.

Several technical papers were read on Tuesday morning. The seasion will continue through Wednesday and Thursday to serve for the ensuing year.

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nsuing year.
Several air-brake devices and new invenions are on exhibition at the hotel, and are
ttracting the attention of the members.

COMMITTEE OF ONE HUNDRED. Meeting at the Mercantile Club to Discuss Wavs and Means.

The Committee of One Hundred will mee at the Mercantile Club at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening to take further action as to the prosecution of the investigation of election

prosecution of the investigation of election frauds.

Ways and means will be discussed and the report of the finance committee will in all probability be heard. The Committee of Public Safety, behind which is the Committee of One Hundred, has only about \$1,000 in its treasury with which to carry on the work. An effort will be made to raise another fund to renew the work of prosecuting persons guilty of crimes against the ballot, which was begun fast fall.

With the mass of evidence which the Post-Dispatch has been accumulating against the offenders, and the numerous sworn statements of the most palpable frauds that have been secured by Post-Dispatch reporters, the attorneys of the committee do not anticipate as much trouble in securing convictions as was encountered last fall.

President Nathan Cole urges as full an attendance at Tuesday night's meeting as possible, as all of the ground plans of the committee will then be laid.

BELL TELEPHONE STOCK. Reported Heavy Selling by Those Near the Inside

Boston, Mass., April 9.—Although Bell Telephone officials profess to disregard the rumor of the organization of a strong rival concern, it is rather significant that the heavy selling of the stock seems to come from people who are very near the inside. This fact has increased the uneasiness of the stockholders in general. Many strong names are mentioned in connection with the Standard and Auxiliary companies.

Neither the Western Union nor the Postal Co. is in a particularly friendly mood towards the Bell people, because of the latter's alleged violation of contracts with them, and it is considered not at all unlikely that those companies may rally themselves with the Standard. Independent of them, however, there is a purpose, the prompters of the new enterprise say, to establish an entirely separate telephone system on an extensive basis, and which shall bring the service down to a reasonable cost.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE

Committee Appointed to Investigate Committee Appointed to Inv Special to the Post-Dispatch.
BOSTON, Mass., April 9.—Although Bell

Collections on Checks.

The regular monthly meeting of the d

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Merchants' Exchange was held Monday afternoon. Eleven new members were received by transfer and the certificates of two deceased members ordered redeemed.

The communication from the Wholesale Druggists' Club, asking for the co-operation of the Exchange in a joint meeting of commercial bodies to consider the exchange charges made by the banks on country checks, was approved and a committee will be appointed at the proper time to take part in the discussion looking to the abolishing of the rule.

be appointed at the proper time to take part in the discussion looking to the abolishing of the rule.

A petition was received asking the board to adopt the gradings of hay made by the National Hay Association at its recent meeting in Cleveland. Messrs. Sol. J. Quinliyan, H. F. Langenberg and Chris Sharp were appointed a committee to look into the

IN FAVOR OF HOKE.

A Special Master's Report in a Chalk Plate Suit. ATLANTA, Ga., April 9.—A decision was endered to-day by Special Master Slaton in the suit of the Hoke Engraving Plate Co.

in the suit of the Hoke Engraving Fisite Co. of St. Louis against R. W. Butler of this city for an infringement of a patent on chalk plates for newspaper cut work.

The Special Master's argument is that the Hoke original and reissued patents are valid; that Hoke was the inventor of chalk engraving plates and that Butler, the defendant, an Atlanta plate maker, is an infringer.

ringer.

As chalk-plate engraving has grown to
e a most important item in newspaper
ork, this finding will be of interest to all
ewspaper men.

GEN. T. S. HARRIS. Death of a Missourian Who Served Against the Mormons.

special to The Post-Dispatch.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 9.—Gen. T. Harris of Missouri, who served in the Confederate army and against the Missouri Mormons, died at his country estate near here at 11 o'clock this morning.

Horace W. Hibbard's Estate. Horace W. Hibbard's Estate.
The inventory of the estate of the late Horace W. Hibbard, the well-known. Vantalila passenger official, was filed with the Probate Court Tuesday. The summary is as follows: Insurance policy, \$10,000; cash, \$22.92; Merchants' Exchange certificate, \$155; ootes and due bills, \$2,158; accounts, \$450; stocks, all of nominal value, \$1,575; goods and chattels, \$75.50; securifies pledged as collateral, \$5,000; total, \$34,830.42.

Ten Cars Ditched.

TEXARKANA, Tex., April 2.—A wreck occurred on the Cotton Belt Railroad at Bassett's, eighteen miles south of this city last evening. Ten cars were thrown into the ditch and the track considerably torn up, delaying all trains for several hours. No one was injured. The cause of the accident was a broken flang.

"Deathly Sensations."

What Are the Actual Sensations of

death has been described as worse than pain.

Nervous people frequently have this dreadful feeling, and many who have been through the experience will recognize at once the graphic description of Mrs. B. J. Stockwell of Waitsfield, Vt., who says:

"I had complete nervous prostration, and was confined to the bed most of the time for two years. It took the form of mania, and I thought I must soon die. It began as nervousness, and kept growing worse.

"I was unable to do any work. There were times, when for a week, I did not sleep hardly any. When I got up I was more exhausted than when I went to bed. I had a terrible deathly sensation, worse than any pain.

"Must someth was terribly weak, and my

MRS. B. J. STOCKWELL

"I had not used one bottle before I felt better. I continued to steadily improve un-der its use. I am now a well, healthy woman, able to do my own work. I have good digestion and appetite, sleep well and am always cheerful.
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am always cheerful.

"This is what Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy has done for me. I heartily recommend it to everybody. It is a wonderful medicine."

The whole world is amazed at what is being done by Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Nothing like it has ever been known before, It makes the nerves strong as steel, the blood pure and rich, the skin soft and beautiful, and gives to the eyes that brightness and sparkle which indicate perfect health.

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It is not a patent medicine, but the pre It is not a patent medicine, but the prescription of the most successful living specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th St., New York City. He has the largest practice in the world, and this grand medical discovery is the result of his vast experience. The great reputation of Dr. Greene is a guarantee that his medicine will cure, and the fact that he can be consulted by anyone, any time, free of charge, personally or by letter, gives absolute assurance of the beneficial action of this wonderful medicine. medicine.

BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS. Little Prospect of Rates Being Reduce

At To-Day's Meeting.

More than ordinary interest is being felt in the regular monthly meeting of the St. Louis Board of Underwriters. That body met at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Gay Building, Third and Pine streets, and immediately proceeded to business. As the meeting was in executive sesion no one save the members present yet knows the nature of the business absorbing their attention, although considerable gossip proceeded the convening of the members. Since the Post-Dispatch last Friday presented details of the plan advanced by individual fire insurance agents for a return to the rates of 183, actensibly on the condition of the appointment of Capt. Evans as Chief of the Fire Department, posible action of the board at its approaching meeting, has been widely discussed. Business men carying heavy insurance had hoped that some action looking to a discontinuance of the exorbitant demands would be taken at once. Whether or not these hopes have been realized has not developed, but from the trend of the gossip during the day, the chance is small.

That there will be a reduction in the rates, however, was generally conceded. The withdrawal from companies locally represented on the part of the heavy insurers has been such that even members of the board are admitting that concessions are inevitable.

Gossip had it Tuesday, however, that the

MARTIN-On Monday, April 8, at 6:20 p. m

People Often Speak of Having

Are There Really Any Feelings of Pain When Death Comes 1

Everybody has heard or used the expression, "that deathly sensation."

By it is meant the awful sinking sensa sation—the feeling of terrible dropping away from us, as it were, of vitality, as the life principle wanes and ebbs toward death.

Death itself is doubtless painless, but the awful sinking sensation which precedes death has been described as worse than pain.



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Gossip had it Tuesday, however, that the revelation in Friday's Post-Dispatch of the objects sought by individual agents has somewhat upset their plans. Subsequent to the publication the agents who had been most voluble relative to a reduction, suddenly ceased discussing it. Members of the board not taken into confidence on the matter showed themselves strongly opposed to any scheme for incorporating the Salvage Corps with the Fire Department and the movement appears to have been practically balked.

DOES HE HOLD THE BAG? "THAT DEATHLY PEELING." SPECIAL LINES REQUIRED FOR EASTER WEEK

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JUE II SHOW BISH WE PUT FORWARD PROMINENTLY GOODS PARTICULARLY NECESSARY

FOR BASTER WEAR

Combining the Most Attractive SPRING OFFERINGS in MILLINERY, FLOWERS, LACES, NECKWEAR, PARASOLS, RIBBONS, WRAPS AND GLOVES. Will also Show the BEST VALUES and ATTRACTIVE COMBINATIONS of

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That it has ever been our good fortune to offer the public.

A Visit Through Our DIFFERENT FLOORS, WILL, CONVINCE the INTELLIGENT SHOPPER. EXAMINE PARTICULARLY

Easter Hats and Bonnets.

POPULAR PRICES IN CHOICE GOODS.

A Collection of Imported Bonnets and Home Copies,
Unsurpassed in Taste and Beauty.

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Lot Children's Sallons, 750 and upwards.

EASTER CAPES FOR THE COMING WEEK. A Purchase of OVER 200 SAMPLE CAPES Has Just Been Made
From one of the BEST EASTERN MANUPACTURERS.

These are samples.
All Copies FROM FRENCH GARMENTS and Made in the Very Best Manner, of the Best Materials, and No Two ALIKS. Consequently include the very latest styles in

CAPES FOR OLD LADIES They will be on sale to-day At a LITTLE OVER HALF THEIR REGULAR VALUE. An Early Call is Advised.

SILK CAPES, LACE CAPES, VELVET CAPES, CLOTH CAPES and

EASTER SHIRT WAISTS.

LARGE LINE LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS. An Unlimited Variety of Styles to Select From. We wish to call Especial Attention to

a Lot of 150 Dozen, made expressly for Easter wear, full bosom, high turn-over collar, straight cuff, full sleeve, AT SO CENTS. 50 Dozens Percalle, in stripes, dots and figures, extra large sleeve, 85 CENTS. A nice selection of Higher Grades, \$1.00, \$1.38, \$1.68, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50.

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Large line of solid colors and fancy checks, Lot new style BLOUSE JACKETS, 4 to 12 years, very stylish, \$10.00 to \$20.00. Lot of PANOY CLOTH CAPES, from 6 to 16 years,

in choice exclusive patterns, for spring wear,

"The Marquis" Teck,

"The Blenheim" Wide End Four-in-Hand,

"The De Reszke" Four-in-Hand, "The Malba" Band Bow. The best values and the newest styles obtainable. Choice, 50 Cents Each.

SIX MINERS INJURED.

Explosion of Black Damp in a Pennsylvania Mine.

NANTICOKE, Pa., April 9.-A frightful after 10 o'clock to-day. Six Polish miners were badly hurt and are not expected to recover from their terrible injuries. The mine is badly damaged.

ONE MAN INJURED.

New York Institution for Deaf and Dumb Burned.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, April 9.—The New York Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Boule-Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Boulevard, was destroyed by a fire which started shortly before midnight last night in the mechanical department on the second floor. Six men were asleep on the third or top floor, and one of them, Wm, McCaffrey, was severely injured by jumping from a window. The others escaped unhurt, except that two were so badly overcome by smoke that they had to be carried out of the building. Loss \$30,000 on building and \$10,000 on machinery and stock.

DREADFULLY NERVOUS.

Countess Russell Could Not Answer in

Court. LONDON, April 9.-In the suit brough LONDON. April 9.—In the suit brought by the Countess Russell for a restitution of her conjugal rights, the Countess was to-day subjected to a long cross-examination by Sir Henry James, formerly Attorney-General, leading counsel for Earl Russell. During the questioning the Countess became so nervous that she could not answer and would only reply: "I am so dreadfully nervous, Sir Henry." Later, counsel brought out the fact that she was continually charging her husband with immorality and vile practices, and that she tried to get her servants to support her case.

New Missouri Corporations.

Special to The Pest-Dispatch.

JEFERSON CITY, Mo., April 9.—Secretary of State Leseuer to-day issued a certificate of incorporation to the Nunservo Chemical Co., St. Louis; capital, 110,000. The following companies filed affidavit of change of name: Moffit and Lee, Commission Co. to Moffitt Commission Co., St. Louis; Ripley-Detrick Supply Co. to Detrick Supply Co.; Allen-Dixon Mercantile Co. to Dixon Mercantile Co., Kansas City. Girls Will Not Strike.

Christian Peper of the Peper tobacco fac-tory, Main and Morgan streets, vigorously denies the truth of a report published in an afternoon paper to the effect that wages of his employes were being out and that a strike was threatened.

Knocked Down for His Rell.

Our Lace and Embroidery Depts.

LADIES' NECKWEAR.

Full line of EMBROIDERED and LACE YOURS, the rage of the season in the East.

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To-morrow, WEDNESDAY, we will display a complete assortment of Plain and Fancy Parasola, for street and driving purposes. Among the novelties are many exclusive and new ideas of our own importation in Chiffon, Dresden and Lace Effects.

Plain White Japanese Silk Parasols at \$1.35.

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A Collection of Exclusive Novelties will be seen, repre Paris, London and America, and not shown in any other house in this city, such as

303 and 305 N. Broadway Only. 40c lb., 8 lbs. for \$1.00.

YING'S BRIDE. A Kansas City Sunday-School Teache Weds a Chinaman.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 2.—Miss May Sharp, aged 20, daughter of a highly respected family was married to Charle Ying, 5 wealthy Chinaman before Justice Betts this morning. Charlie is 22 years old. He entered court with his intended garbed in regulation purple, shirt, blue trousers, white shoes and bread-brimmed hat, with oue nicely tied underneath. He displayed a great roll of bills and a draft for 32,000. After the ceremony he told Justice Betts that he was going to California. Ying formerly ran a laundry on Grand avenue, but sold out some time ago. Miss Sharpe is a teacher in the First Cumberland Fresbyterian Sunday School, which has a special class for Chinamen. Ying was one of Miss Sharp's pupils.

THE CITY TREASURY.

Report of the Examining Con Sent to the Mayor.

Lumberman's Suicide.

ATCHISON, Kan, April 3.—Perry John son, aged 45, a lumberman, well known and of long residence hers, committed suicide last night by taking two ounces of landnum. He had been drinking hard of laternd was despondent. He leaves a wife and hree children. Shot His Hand to Please.

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INSANITY JURISDICTION.

Question Arises Over the Powers of the Franklin County Court.

A question has arisen as to the jurisdic-tion of the Franklin County Circuit Court in the matter of the Duestrow insanity inin the matter of the Duestrow insanity inquiry, on the score that an insanity defense should, like any other, form part of the regular murder trial. It is held that a Court of Probate has power only to pass upon such a question, to prevent waste of property. Ex-Gov. Charles P. Johnson, who is Duestrow's attorney, soouts such a claim, and quotes the statutes prescribing procedure in case of insanity pleas, which provide that proceedings shall be suspended and a jury ordered to try the insanity plea.

THE ROCKFORD MESSIAH. George W. Coudry's \$50,000 Damage Suit Against Schweinfurth. CHICAGO, April 8.—The long—delayed trial by which George W. Coudry seeks to collect \$50,000 in a damage suit against Jacob Schweinfurth, the Rockford "Messiah." began in Judge Dunne's Court today. Coudry talleges that the defendant alienated Mrs. Coudry's affections from her husband by inducing her to enter his "Heaven." Several witnesses who were formerly disciples of the defendant will testify for the plaintiff.

Trunk Line Committee.

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OLYMPIC—Sandow. GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—A Temperance Town... THE HAGAN-Archie Boyd. HAVLIN'S-The Smugglers. HOPKINS'-Continuous Show. STANDARD-Vaudeville.

MATINEES TO-MORROW. HOPKINS'-Continuous Show THE HAGAN-Archie Boyd.

THE INCOME TAX STRADDLE.

It is unfortunate that the United States Supreme Court could not reach a deci-sion, one way or the other, on the intax. An equally divided court means nothing except that the decision of Circuit Court Judge in favor of the law holds good, except as to incomes de-rived from rents on real estate and from interest on Federal, State, county and municipal bonds. If another Circuit Judge should decide that the entire law is unconstitutional, this decision, unde existing conditions, would have equal weight with that of the other Circuit

Judge who decided to the contrary. The only points regarding the income tax that were finally decided yesterday are that the Astors who put their vast wealth into real estate, and the "bloated with "elipping coupons" for a living, can not be reached by an income tax. The large majority (6 to 2) by which these exceptions were ruled shows that a different decision on these points is not likely during the present generation. The constitutionality of the law in other espects may be definitely affirmed as soon as Associate Justice Jackson is ble to sit, or his successor is appointed It is to be hoped that Justice Jackson will see his way to resigning soon, so that so portant a question may not remain

long in suspense.

The framers of the Constitution would no doubt be astonished if they could know how effectively, under the interpretation of the Federal courts, they protected rich men against the "incidence of taxation." would hardly have suspected their premature anxiety to engraft in the funental law of the land principles of taxation that make the rich richer and the poor poorer.

THE LOCAL DEMOCRATIC COLLAPSE.

A comparison of the St. Louis vote in the last presidential election with that cast in the recent municipal election is

The total vote of the city in the election last Monday was 15,187 less than the Presidential vote. Of this great reduction the Democratic share was 13.947 and the Republican share only 1,696. Had the Republican vote remained the same and as many Democrats voted as voted in the Presidential election the result would have been reversed.

This slump in the Democratic vote of the city is a vindication of the Post-Dis-

The comparison is also a warning to the Republicans. They carried the city arough Democratic disgust and not by Republican gains. It will be easy to ose it by misgovernment.

. Clarke of Arkansas is accu-ported, he has aggravated the offense of which he was guilty pting to shoot a member of the

of the State. He is at the head of the lawenforcing machinery. He represents the
majesty and power of the law. It is
incumbent upon him above all others to
set an example of respect for the law
and to uphold it at all times and under
all circumstances. The people look to him
as the embodiment of the dignity and
sovereignty of State government. No
conditions justify or excuse a violation of
the law on his part, and perhaps the least
excusable violation of which he could
be guilty is a breach of the peace.

A Governor who so far forgets the obligations of his station as to set an example of lawlessness, as Gov. Clarke has
done, owes the people of his State at
least an apology. If he does not recognize
the enormity of his offense the most becoming act of his official career of which
he is capable is to resign.

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erchants last Sunday's Post-Dispatch carried of this kind of advertising, and with fervor and public spirit, just as the only 7 columns less than the Sunday Globe-Democrat carried. It is this advertising that tests the estimate placed by our leading merchants on the relative value of the newspapers as advertising ediums. The Sunday Post-Dispatch is rapidly forging to the front. Its net circulation last Sunday was 79,626 copiesmany thousands larger than that of any other St. Louis Sunday newspaper.

THE BRIDGE MONOPOLY INQUIRY. The Post-Dispatch notes with regret the apparent indifference of the business men of St. Louis to the investigation of the Bridge combine by the Illinois legis-

Chairman Campbell in yesterday's Post-Dispatch pledged his committee to an honest and thorough inquiry into the bridge and terminal monopoly. The arrying out of this pledge and the results o be obtained from the investigation largely depend upon the merchants of St Louis. The committee offers them full opportunity to make known their grievces and to give information regarding excessive charges and oppressive exaccan lay before the committee the facts necessary to make the investigation a

The business interests of this city have long suffered from the burdensome ex-actions of the bridge and terminal molopoly. For years merchants have protested against its shackling of comm The monopoly has been greatly strengthned by the absorption of the Merchants' Bridge and Terminal Co., which victim ized the city with promises of competition. Within a week the Post-Dispatch contained vigorous protests against this out rage from leading business men. It would be an act of extraordinary disregard of St. Louis interests, therefore if St. Louis business men should neglect the chance offered by the Illinois Legislature to take the first important step towards, if not to actually accomplish

the unfettering of St. Louis trade. IN DEFENSE OF PURITY.

Gov. Stone has placed his signature of Assembly raising the "age of consent" to 18 years and making a violation punishable by imprisonment in the penitentiary.
This enactment is one of the commend-

able deeds of the Thirty-eighth General Assembly, and the women of this city and State are to be congratulated upon the influences which they brought to bear to secure these needed changes in the law.

of attacks upon the chastity of young girls, and there can be no law too severe that will give them the protection to which they are entitled. Eighteen years is certainly the lowest age at which they can be expected to take care of themselves since in the development of womanhood mental and physical powers of resistance to evil searcely reach maturity before that time, and meanwhile the civil law has always regarded them as infants, incapable of managing or holding prop-

erty in their own right. Around the purity of womanhood men should build high walls of defense until their daughters and sisters are fully educated and prepared for the fierce battles of life. And the enactment which Gov. Stone has just approved is so clearly in line with the sentiment of all good men and women on this subject that the Legislature is to be commended for its response to a public demand.

OUR "BEST CITIZENS."

Mayor Hopkins of Chicago promises to Mayor Hopkins of Chicago promises to write a book. It is not the kind of a book, however, that will give joy to his enemies or to the enemies of good municipal government. He proposes to give a truthful account of his fifteen months' experience as Mayor, and if he carries out experience as Mayor, and if he carries out his purpose as outlined in an interview the book will be an invaluable contribution to the cause of municipal reform.

Mayor Hopkins says he intends to expose the roots of municipal evils. He will show how the "best citizens" take

patch's warning against the Butler influence in the selection of the Democratic ticket. It is proof of profound Democratic disgust with the mismanagement of the local Democratic party. It strengthens the demand of the Post-Dispatch for a complete reorganization of the party with its corporation bosses and their thug tools left out.

The comparison is also a warning to the Republicans. They covaried the often

show up the manner in which the taxes have been saddled upon the poor people. He intends to expose the profitable connection of the "best citisens" with public contracts and franchises and the manner in which they are obtained. In short, Mayor Hopkins promises a municipal "eye-opener."

Chicago is not the only city that needs an "eye-opener" of this kind. St. Louis is suffering for one. We have discovered by experience that the sources of municipal corruption and misgovernment are not the bosses and boodlers and political "fine-workers," but "respectable and ing but what seemed to me, under imstances, to be proper."

In the chief executive officer of a fit or its violating the law by engaging atte violating the law by engaging like brawl, carrying and drawing with intent to use it on a fit of meney. Whenever an attempt at much manner of the bosses and booders and pointed. "fine-workers," but "respectable and "fine-workers," but "respectable and wealthy citizens" who stand behind them and pay for and profit by their villainy. The political rascals are mere manifestations and instruments of a hidden power with intent to use it on a fine workers, but "respectable and "fine-workers," but "respectable and "fine-workers," but "respectable and wealthy citizens" who stand behind them and particular to the bosses and booders are pointed.

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GET TO WORK AT ONCE.

a private citizen with respect to the in-auguration of the Detroit plan in this auguration of the Detroit plan in this city. The appointment of a committee or the calling of a mass meeting to start the work could not possibly involve the municipality in any expense, or put any responsibility whatever—official or otherwise—upon the Chief Executive of St. Louis. The Mayor was asked to act as a citizen deeply interested in the welfare of his town and in the help of his less fortunate fellow-citizens, just as the Mayors tunate fellow-citizens, just as the Mayors of other cities have been petitioned; and it was not doubted that he would respond

Mayors of other cities have done.

But, now that Mayor Walbridge has ned to take the initiative, the duty must be taken up by some one else. Quite a number of prominent St. Louisans have expressed a willingness to share the labors and responsibilities of carrying the movement forward. Among them are en devoted to philanthropic work, and all that is required to command their assistance is organization and leadership.

Dr. Addington has manifested enthusi asm for the Detroit plan. It would be coming in him to call a meeting of iterested citizens and start the work at once. There is no occasion for false mod-esty. It is a purely business proposition, isiness men should take hold of it.

Under the Post-Dispatch's gentle nursing, the Republic is gradually getting down off the fence and defining its real position on the money question. In yes-terday's issue it characterized as "idiots" those who believe in silver coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1, thus showing its opinion that idiocy is widely prevalent in Missouri, Illinois and adjacent States of the West and South. It is worth noting that this phrase "idiots" is, next to "cranks." the favorite term used in describing advo cates of the use of silver by the New York Evening Post and other Wall Street

In 1718 there was published in London a book sounding an alarm over the arcity of silver coin, and it pointed out the fatal consequences of an advance in silver coin and a lowering of the price of gold. The financiers of the olden days were about as wise as many of those of the present time who prattle of fatal

derbilts do not now chip in and present Chief Justice Fuller with a new gown they will deserve to be classed as indif-ferent and ungrateful beneficiaries of

Whatever spring business may be gen erally, it is booming with the Post-Disnatch. The subscription books and ad yertising accounts of the Post-Dispatch are exhibiting larger figures every day.

The POST-DISPATCH will accept advertising upon the distinct guarantee that its average city circulation, daily and Sunday, is greater than that of the Globe-Democrat and Republic combined.

If \$20,000,000 has been saved to the bondholders and landlords, it is almost as much an occasion of rejoicing as that of the millions reaped by the foreign syndicate in the recent gold-bond deal. Between the train of slime and corrup-

tion left by the lobbyists and the endles chain which has robbed the Treasury of its gold the morals of the country have suffered beyond estimation. Repeating, ballot-box stuffing and eletion tricks generally, are all connected

with bossism. No party with a boss can give any city or State clean government. Whatever number of millions may hav been settled on Count Castellane by the

Goulds, they paid much too much for so poor a little foreign whistle. There is Republican gloom in Chicago The new Mayor declares that he shall not consult the politicians in his ap-

It is the misfortune of the straddling gold-bug organ to be always at the extreme and impracticable end of the wrong

When the highest court in the land engages in greasing fat sows, it is a great day for the hogging interests.

Chicago is so dead that it cannot ever tart a Pingree movement for the benefit of its army of unemployed.

Neither the President nor Senator almer can stay the tide of silver sentinent in Illinois.

Will municipal plums be discusse hen the Mayor and Boss Filley take nch together?

Even Olney is surprised at the Supreme

LAUGH HERE.

A man is never too mean to be loved by a Orleans Picayune.

a mirror. Her fate, however, will hardly break up the practice.—Washington Post. Van Clove; "Who is going to be the best an at your wedding with Teddy Thought

"The ambition of the new w the Manayunk Philosopher, " is evidently to be regarded as a perfect gentleman."-Philadelphia Record.

Miss Bullion: "I wish I was sure Jack loved me." Miss Budd: "Doesn't he say so?" Miss Bullion: "Yes; but he always

WELL-KNOWN ST. LOUISANS.



David C. Ball was born in St. Louis in 1857, and came from an old Virginia and Ken-High School in 1875. In 1889, he went to work for a large cotton house here as book-keeper, and, later, was taken into the firm, and also became secretary, shortly afterwards, of the Peper Cotton Press, which po-sition he still holds. Just three years ago Mr. Ball went into the cotton business for and liked men in that line. Mr. Ball was one of the founders of the St. Louis Traffic Commission, and is a prominent man in the Young Men's Christian Association.

MEN OF MARK.

Ex-President Peixoto of Brazil is about

Mr. Selons, the African explorer, de clares that the great curse of the British Empire in South Africa is drink. The Rev. F. J. Sawyer, a Boston Univer-

salist, celebrated the 65th year of his minis-terial life on Thursday evening. He is nearly 92 years old, but does not look to be 60. Mr. Edward Lomer the senior magis-

100th birthday. It is said that Whistler decorated the cele brated "peacock room" in his residence in London by lying on his back on the floor and painting with a brush attached to the end of a fishing rod, examining the work

Achenbach is the real name of Herr Man

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Miss Helen Gould is to be sponsor for the veteran Chicasaw Guards, a Memphis mili-tary organization, in the coming spring drill.

Most of the Japanese women in the rural utdoor work accounts for their health and Mme. Patti will this season be paid at

Covent Garden the large sum of \$12,000 for six representations, or at the rate of \$2,000 per night.

has a wealthy husband and acts only for recreation. He expects to buy a theater for her shortly.

For twenty years these hirelings of mer cenary masters have been growing more powerful and more audaclous in this State, until in recent years they have obtained almost absolute mastery of public affairs. In politics men and measures have pros-pered or been destroyed by their influence In the municipal affairs of cities they have In the municipal affairs of cities they have continually interfered, sometimes to reward friends, sometimes to punish men who have dared to retain independence, and frequently for the purpose of obtaining control of municipal governments for mercenary ends. In the selection and control of the judiciary they have been expecially stellars and control of the purpose. they have been especially vigilant and so potent that it is notorious that the American courts, State and national, are grad ually passing to the control of corporation lawyers. In State affairs, not only in Missouri, but throughout the country, the emis-saries of the corporations sit in the councils of all political parties, obtrude themselves and their tools into the membership of all political conventions, and thus, by con-trolling all political organizations, bar the way to the possibility of escape from their control. • • Henceforth, until the reign of these enemies of the State, these conor these enemies of the State, these con-spirators against the usefulness of all par-tiles, these promoters of the unfit, these assassins of honor and purity in politics and government shall be terminated, Missourians of all parties should lose sight of all other local political issues.



VIGNETTES OF CITY LIFE.

It wasn't a case of "Daddy Wouldn't Buy Me a Bow-Wow," but of "Mamma Wouldn't Buy Me a Balloon," and the howl that went up from the luckless irichin in consequence caused a member of the Broadway squad to stop right in the middle of the street, to the imminent peril of the beautiful blonde whom he was piloting across. It also brought the several dry goods clerks out upon the sidewalk and stagnated traffic generally. Meanwhile the balloon fakir

Prince William of Hesse recently risked his life to save a woman from drowning. The London Spectator says that Mr. Wat-Arnold and Tennyson.

trate on the Southampton (England) bench, died recently, aged 99. Had he lived three months longer he would have reached his

from time to time with a pair of opera-

Alvary, the famous tenor. He speaks five languages, his latest acquisition being Russian. He is a phetographer, blacksmith, carpenter, electrician, architect and soldier, having served a year in the German

The Lobby at Jefferson City,

rom the St. Joseph Gazette.

He Shakes the Matting.



waved his cluster of little red, green and blue gas bags tantalizingly across the little fellow's vision, to the dismay of the two ladies who were under the boy's orders. "Does the little boy want a balloon?" queried the fakir. "Then his mamma should buy one for him, shouldn't she?" The boy wanted a balloon, and he wanted it so much that he made a sudden grab at is gallant journey, the dry goods clerication to their counters and traffic precided, while the boy strutted along beside is mamma with a triumphant expression of the street fakir smiled after him. "Monly regret," sollioquized one of the spectors, "is that the little imp didn't accompany the balloons."

They Wouldn't Arrest Him. By some unaccountable means little Tommy Tracy of Biddle street became sole possessor of a toy "patrol wagon," including bell, driver's seat, side benches and rear step. He was the driver and Eddie Mulvaney and Jimmy Callahan acted as horses, while Tim O'Brien, with a diminutive helmet and a baseball bat, held on at the end as guard. The vehicle was empty, as with resounding



When They May Marry.

to 17 for girls. In Austria and German men seldom marry under 21, although the law allows it at 18; girls may wed at 16 it these countries. In Egypt boys of 13 at often married, and brides of 10 and 12 are no scarce by any means. But India carries of the palm. Here marriages are closed in if fancy, and a girl of 2 is sometimes marrie to a groom of 4 or 5 years.

Gray Foule for a Little Girl.

A Substitute for a Jardiniere

If you lack a jardiniere in which to put blossoming plant that is to be placed on the dinner table or in other conspicuous place you can always make it fine enough for to occasion by wrapping the plant crock you can always make it fine enough for the occasion by wrapping the plant crock it crepe tissue paper and tying it with a sating ribbon. Bring the 'edge of the paper above that of the crock and pass it over the finger to stretch it, so that it will form a frill. The in place with a band of satin ribbon, with the ends made in a pert bow. Moss green and white papers are both good colors to use for the purpose, and the color of the ribbon must be decided by the complexion of the flower and its surroundings. In banking a mantel with potted plants, the best effects with many plants are secured by turning the plant crocks over on the side, so that the projecting plant only is visible.

Cranberry Tart. Stew cranberries, sift, sweeten well. Pen baked tart shells. Place in oven until se

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Mr. Hugh Brady, Chairman of the Demo cratic City Committee, stated in an interview that should the present committee resign the different wards would return them.

the present committee. Some such action must be Democratic party of St. Louis to be in the ascendency. St. Louis, Mo., April &

o the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: It may not take all kinds of pe in the population of this city. I clan is out and the sine of the latter got there, not on account of superiority over the former, not because the setter than it ought to be, but because opped have come to the conclusion though as self-government is denied that the self-government is denied tha

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Cut three English muffins in halves and cast very delicately. Cut six pieces of colled ham very thin and of a size to fit the muffins; lay a piece on each half muffin; THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

edy in powders composed of acetanilide and monobromate of camphor; each powder should contain three grains of the former nd two grains of the latter. Take one powwhose blood is very much impoverished?

The tincture of muriate of iron is a very good tonic. Ten drops should be taken in

I am troubled with pains around the heart and belching of gas from the stomach after meals. What can I take for it? cial in such cases. Take five grains after

"Mashing" at Lafayette Park

The Dogs of a Sausage Maker.

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No Attempts at Bribery in the Arkansas Legislature.

THE COMMITTEE SO REPORTS

Many Members Have "Mileage Books," But They are "Railroad Attorneys."

LE ROCK, Ark., April 9.—The investigations ended to-day in a s whitewash of all the parties

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Iowa Miners Determined to Keep Out Non-Union Men.

ALBIA, Io., April 9.-A clash between mine operators and striking miners at the Cincinnati mines in the southern part of Appanoose County seems inevitable unless the militate. the militia is ordered out. It is reported here that another delegation, 100 strong, is on the way from Mendota, Mo., just over the State line, to join with the strikers from Cincinnati, Rathbun, Mystic, Jerome and Seymour, to prevent the men whom the operators have imported from entering the mines.

HAS NOT PURCHASED.

The Missouri Railroad Co. Has Not Bought the Manchester Line.

President C. C. Maffitt of the Missour Railroad Co. positively denies the report that his company has acquired, by purchase that his company has acquired, by purchase or otherwise, the franchise of the Manchester Electric road. It has been reported that the Missouri company had bought the franchise for \$75,000 with a view to getting a suburban line to Benton, Kirkwood and other county points.

J. B. Case, who is said to have been one of the gentlemen present at the meeting at which the purchase was consummated, said: "I know absolutely nothing of any such purchase, and I was not present at any meeting at which such a deal was made. The whole matter is what I would term a 'newspaper fake' of the worst description."

UTAH'S CONVENTION.

The Apportionment Article Calls for 18 Senators and 45 Representatives. SALT LAKE, Utah, April 9.-The most prominent feature of the morning session of the Constitutional Convention was the presentation of a large number of peti-tions asking for separate submission of the committee of the Whole the afternoon, in Committee of the Whole the apportionment article was passed. It calls for eighteen Senators and forty-five Representatives. The article was passed by nearly a unanimous vote.

Change in the Temperature. night and Wednesday; little change in temperature.

For Illinois and Missouri—Fair to-night; fair and warmer Wednesday.

The storm which has prevailed over the central Valleys for the past two days has moved rapidly eastward and is central of the North Atlantic coast this morning.

Rain has been general from the Mississippi eastward to the Atlantic coast, being heavy on the Atlantic coast from Virginia northward.

Clear weather prevails generally designed to the coast of the coast

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SEIZURE MADE IN CHICAGO.

An Organized Gang With Headquarters in That City Has Been Doing

the Work.

upon any Government. It wo days' investigation, can only be guessed at, but it is believed that thousands upon thousands of dollars have been secured by a

gang of skilled counterfeiters, who have reproduced with wonderful skill and ac-

curacy the pink 2-cent stamp of commerce.

Whether the counterfeiters have accommended to the co

plices in postmasters is not known. It is thought the country is flooded from New

the case. No one in the posterner thing of it.

It was said in Washington that while the gang has had headquarters in Chicago, it gang has had headquarters in Chicago, it has operated in St. Louis, Cincinnati, Buffalo and as far West as San Francisco.

FROM AMBUSH.

CRIME NOTES.

INGERSOLL A MOUNTEBANK

CHICAGO, Ill., April 9.—The Tribune says United States secret service operatives in Chicago and Washington have unearthed bably the most unique and at the same time important swindle ever perpetrated upon any Government. Its magnitude, after

THE WEATHER.

Fair To-night and Wednesday, Little For St. Louis and vicinity-Fair Tuesday night and Wednesday; little change in tem-

Clear weather prevails generally from the Mississippi westward, with but little change in temperature. It is much cooler in the lower lake region.

Tom Skidmore Drubbed. A lively scrimmage took place Monday ight in which ex-Deputy Sheriff Thomas kidmore, an ex-fireman, said to be Fred oley, but who gave his name as George hompson, and William Miller were the tringtagle.

principals.

About 9 o'clock Officer John Glass at the Southern Hotel found Skidmore on the ground with Miller and Thompson on top of him and giving him a severe drubbing. The three were placed under arrest. Skidmore preferred a charge of disturbing the peace against them. Third Ward politics caused the trouble. the trouble.
When the case was called in the First
District Police Court Tuesday Skidmon
failed to appear and Miller and Thompson
were discharged.

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York to San Francisco with these spurious stamps, and the United States has been carrying millions of letters from which not one cent of revenue was received.

Chicago apparently has been the head-quarters of the gang, and its product has been shipped to distributing agents through express companies. Just exactly how the information reached the Government of ficials is not known. But they evidently got a straight tip, for last evening Capt. Stuart of the Postal Inspectors' Department and of Emma Tourville at 1107 Clark evenue will be established before Wednesday Service Bureau called at the Wells-Fargo Service Bureau called at the Service Surant Tourville at 1107 Clark evenue will be established before Wednesday morning. Coroner Atkinson went to Sullivan, Franklin County, Mo., Tuesday to be present at the autopay. The body was exhumed Tuesday morning from its grave at Caye Springs, near Sullivan, the post and Revenue Caye. Pending the result Mrs. Margaret Storts and R. J. F. Ryan are held under 15,500

Will Lumpkin was Shot Down by Morgan Marver. Special to the Post-Dispatch. Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 2.—The story of a cold-blooded assassination comes from Lincoin County, Ala. At a recent ward road Lincoin County, Ala. At a recent ward road working, Morgan Marver and Will Lumpkin working, Morgan Marver and which Lumpkin got the best of it. Yesterday afternoon kin got the had made deliberate preparations gor leaving the country before committing for leaving the country before committing the murder, and has not yet been arrested. BRUSSELS, April 2.—The appeal from the death sentence passed upon Mme. Jonus for the murder of her brother, sister and uncle has been rejected. CLINTON, Io., April 9.—Frits Jesse, aged was shot and killed while prowling found the chicken house of Samuel Menterter.

the Authorities.

How much of crime surrounds the death of Emma Tourville at 1107 Clark avenue will be established before Wednesday morning. Coroner Atkinson went to Sullivan, Franklin County, Mo., Tuesday to be present at the autopsy. The body was exhumed Tuesday morning from its grave at Cave Springs, near Sullivan, the post mortem to be performed later in the day. Pending the result Mrs. Margaret Storts and Rr. J. F. Ryan are held under \$1,500 bond on the charges upon which they were arraigned Monday.

Emma Tourville had many friends and relatives in St. Louis. A list of names, evidently compiled by her a year ago, is in the hands of Mrs. Storts. She did not turn it over to the authorities with the other papers of the deceased, because she "wanted to find out who had given her away." Am'ong the names are those of Vina Burke, a cousin, given as living at 2004 Cass avenue; Mrs. Fords, formerly a neighbor at Sullivan, Mo., 1820 Cass avenue; Octavis. Hauck, 1038 Park avenue; Alico O'Keefe, 2012 O'Fallon street; George Ball, 140 Cherokee, formerly a neighbor at Sullivan; Dude Palmer, 2008 North Tenth, and Jno. M. Thornton, National Stock Yards. East St. Louis. "Pawn broker, Eighth and Franklin avenue." and "D. Crawford, Broadway and Franklin," also occur in the list as well as Dr. Hough, Thirteenth and Olive.

That this list was made out over a year ago appears from the fact that Dr. Hough its office has been removed from there over a year. Dr. Hardy, Sixteenth and Olive, streets, and Dr. Wilcox, 2621 South Seventh street, are also mentioned, but they are no longer at those locations.

The deceased was a relative by marriage of Lawyer Harrison K. Bunch. According to that gentleman she had for the last two years spent most of her time in St. Louis, with friends and relatives, stopping usually with a Mrs. Babcock, 1108 Arsenal street. This lady is no longer in St. Louis, a reporter of the Post-Dispatch was informed at the house. Mr. Bunch states that prior to her return to St. Louis, about eight weeks ago, Miss Tou

he thinks she met Mr. Thornton, who was her fiance.
She had been married to a Frenchman named La Verge at her home, but, according to Mr. Bunch, her husband ill-treated her, and she was compelled to leave him.

Ittile girl, now 2 or 3 years old, was born. This child she left with her parents at Sullivan on her last visk to St. Louis.

"I have it from an unquestioned source," said Mr. Bunch, "that for her first misfortune a farmer near Sullivan, S years of age, is responsible. Until that time I know that she was a good woman. She was deformed in one arm, born so, but was exceedingly industrious.

The effects of the deceased, now in the hands of Mrs. Storts, consist only of the clothing worn in life. The dress is sadly frayed and the cloth underskirt a thing of patches. Mrs. Storts claims that while the girl was with her she frequently mean-torad one Whales at living pear her at

the stock yards in East St. Louis, was seen by a Post-Dispatch reporter. He at first denied ever having met the woman. Later he acknowledged that he knew and was engaged to be married to Miss Tourville, and that he had given her \$2\$ to go to a doctor, but did not know what was the matter with her.

The first intimation that Thornton had of the girl's death was from the reporter. He was surprised and greatly shocked. All through his talk he repeated: "Poor girl; poor little girl."

Acting Chief of Police Reedy has been notified by Prosecuting Attorney H. H. Botee of Franklin County that all assistance possible will be rendered the St. Louis authorities in the case. Owing to a death in the family of Coroner Muench of Franklin County, proceedings have been delayed at that end. Attorney Bottee's letter also throws more light upon the case, but in the interest of justice its further contents are withheld.

DESPONDENT OVER A BEATING

Morphine. In a back room of an immoral resort, 206 South Twelfth street, almost within the

years old, an inmate, lies hovering between morphine taken on Sunday night with sui-cidal intent. Although the dose was taken cidal intent. Although the dose was taken on Sunday night, the girl concealed all knowledge of her act from the other members of the house until the following night. At about 9 o'clock on Monday evening a male acquaintance called to see her. He was told by the landlady that Lucy was in her room, with the door locked, and that all attempts to gain an entrance during the day had been futile, the girl replying to all inquiries that she did not feel well and wished to be left alone. Her caller went upstairs and knocked on the door of the room. When he reached the door, he could plainly hear the girl moaning, as though in great pain. He knocked, and, upon being informed who her visitor was, Lucy arose and unlocked the door. She staggered back to the bed, and fell face downward, giving away to violent hysterics.

Between the paroxyams of pain, which she was evidently suffering, Lucy told her caller that she had taken a large dose of morphine the night before. She said her life was full of trouble and that she wanted to end it all in death. Her sister, who is also an inmate of the house, was hastily summoned and she remained with the suffering girl while

DOCTON CTODE Opens BUSIUN SIUNE Soon. Wait for it. 1530-1532 Franklin Ay. thought by the other inmates that she brooded over these injuries to such an ex-tent that she grew desperate and in a fit of despendency she swallowed the poison.

Lucy Henderson Takes a Large Dose of

shadow of the Four Courts, and under the very eyes of the police, Lucy Henderson, 20

Unlettered Dons. From the Journal of Pedagogy.
Out of 17,000,000 inhabitants of Spain,
over 11,000,000 are ignorant of the art of
reading or writing.

TEXAS LUMBER MEN.

They Are Holding Their Convention

in Fort Worth's Auditorium.

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 2.—The City Auditorium was a thing of beauty when the State Lumbermen's Convention convened this morning for a three days' session. Mayor B. B. Paddock welcomed the visitors, and was responded to by the President of the association, Hon. R. D. Grobble of Houston. Over 500 members are here, and the organisation is conceded to be the wealthlest in the State, excepting that of the cattlemen. Thursday night the lumbermen will be banqueted, and Friday morning they will leave here over the Ft. Worth & Denver for an excursion to Denver, Lead-ville and other Colorado points.



Does your food nourish and agree with you? No! Eat Quaker Oats, then see!

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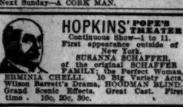
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> RACES DAILY

Local Rases Commence at 2 P. H.

THE INAUGURAL ACCEPTANCES

Judge Burke's Weights Suited Most of the Horses Entered.

MAGNIFICENT RACE ASSURED.

Declinations Included Lamplighter, Sport, Sir Excess, Senator Irby, Diggs and Maid Marian.

The acceptances and the declinations to tion's \$5,000 event, to be run over a course of one mile on the opening day of the spring meeting, closed on Saturday, and were an-nounced by Assistant Secretary John Hach-meister this afternoon. As will be per-ceived by the list, the acceptances include most of the great horses nominated, which insures a magnificent race for the inaugural day of the spring meeting. The acceptances

Clifford124	Cadmus10
Dr. Hasbrouck 124	Artist10
Dr. Bice	Candid
Yo Tambien	Simmons ,102
Henry Young116	Figaro10:
Dorian	Pocahontas10
Ajax	Handspun 90
Vassal	Future 0
Ducat	Clara Bauer 9
Faraday	Wekota P
Libertine	
Rudolph110	Monrovia
Buckwa	St. Augustine 90
Ethel Gray 108	Sumo 90
O'Connell108	Cyrus DC
John Cooper108	Danton 86
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Idnda	Bona Vera
The declinations were: Lamplighter Six	

The declinations were: Lamplighter, Sir Ixcess, Helen Nichols, Senator Irby, Parens, Hugh Penny, Potentate, Plutus, Cacus, Maid Marian, Logan, Buckrene, Hawhorne, Diggs, Chiswick, Ohio Belle, Eloroy, rank K., Young Arion, Metropole, Senator Iorrill, Wampeyo, Leo Lake, Tuscarora, ten Lomond, Montre, Peytonia, Trenton, hylsea, Amelia May, Ta Ta, Came-to-Stay, allardine, Commission, Elisworth, Ashund, Oxford, Bob Taylor, Prince Ouray, fercury, Shawneetown, San Blas, Johnnie IcHale, O'Fleta, Dutch Girl, Gelding and Jorman.

GWYNN AT CLEVELAND.

epresenting St. Louis at the Organization of the Sporting League.

K. Gwynn, secretary of the St. Louis J. K. Gwynn, secretary of the St. Louis air Association, left on Sunday night for leveland, O., where he will represent St. ouis at the organization of the proposed merican Sporting League. The idea of the w organization is to protect legitimate orting interests and institutions from unstand unfavorable legislation in the different States of the Union.

Terre Haute Trotting Association. cial to The Post-Dispatch.

John Huffman's Visit.
Huffman, who used to train the mare Yo Tamblen, was in the city, and engaged stalls at the Fair s for his string of twenty-five head, he will ship here from Nashville in refuture. ir future. Barrick, the owner of De Hasbrouck, Maurice and other cracks, writes demphis for fourteen stalls.

ulate ringers at the South Side light track.

Results at the Tracks.

EAST LOUIS—First race—Pokino, arst; Lady Lister, second; Poet, third. Second race—Christine D., first; Herndon, second; Jim Berry, third.
Third race—Little Nell, first; Queen Bess, second; Frankie D., third.
Fourth race—Mirabeau, first; Michel, second; St. Leo, third.
Fifth race—The Rook, first; Say When, second; Miss Mayma, third.
ST. ASAPH—The winners: Pontlear, Sandowne, Floretta, Charade, Applegate, Tuckoo.

owne, Floretta, uckoo.
MEMPHIS—The winners: Geo. F. Smith, bel Coronada, Laureate, Lela Dell, imp. Percy.

NASHVILLE—The winners: Uncle Luke,
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NASHVILLE—The winners: Birdle
BAN FRANCISCO—The winners: Birdle
L, C, M. C., McLight, Arctic, Capt. Coster,

Track Talk.

Capt. R. Rice of Arkansas is on hand themphis with his long beard carefully ucked beneath his coat.

Johnny Payne has engaged "Snapper" tarrison to ride Le Banjo in the Latonia terby. The stake is worth \$12,000, of which arrison will get half if his mounts wins.

The Belmont filly Floretta by Civil Serveor Fiddlestick's dam Flavia, won the conticello stakes, at one-half mile, guaransed \$1,000 at the St. Asaph track Monday.

Jockey Clerico, now riding at the St. saph track, has been offered the mount

NEW DISCOVERY by the SHAKERS

For more than a hundered years the Mount Lebsnon Shakers have studied the cultivation of medicinal plants and sought to extract from them their healing essences. Their labor has not been spent in vain. They have made a discovery that will prove a blessing to mankind. It consists of a cordial that causes immediate relief in cases of indigestion. The importance of this discovery will be apparent when we realize that nearly ninesants of all our sufferings are caused by dyspeptia or indigestion. Nearly every person you meet that his digestive trouble in some of its varied forms—sick headache, distross after eating, pain and fullness in the chest after eating, pain and fullness in the chest after cating, paining the beart, etc., are but symptoms of indigestion. To relieve these sufferings has been the tudy of the Shakers, and they have succeeded. The reason the Shakers Digestive Cordial has such immediate and salutary effect is that it causes be food eaten to be digested, for it is undigested before there is time for it ferment and sour on the stomach. When the bod is so digested it gives strength and vigor to be feelin body, makes one feel bright and cheer-it and makes one gain in fissh.

The Digestive Cordial is so prompt in its action at the very first dose will have a perceptibly rorable result. It gives immediate relief.

In order to prove this statement, small trial titles placed in the druggists' hands can be obtined for ten cents each. This trial bottle will be a decided beneficial effect and will satisfy wene that the Cordial is adapted to his case. It is another that the cordial is adapted to his case is the same of the shakers of Mount bands, M. T. ore than a hundred years the Mount Leb-

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FOREST PARK ROAD BACE.

Will Be Run June 8, and Managed by the Road Racing Association.

The Forest Park Road Race Association met Monday night and received the reply of the Associated Cycling clubs, declining to accept the management of the race this year. The association then reorganized by the election of A. J. Emery as President and W. P. Laing as Secretary and the work of arranging the details of the sixth annual race was begun.

Fair Grounds.

The course has been changed and the listance will be increased to twenty miles. derectofore the start has been made down he boulevard on the north side of the park and across the dangerous railroad tracks. This will be avoided by making the start hrough the park under the railroad bridge. Prize, press and other committees were appointed and some minor matters aranged.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., April 9.—This city will be the first in the United States to build along one of its public streets a path for the exclusive use of bicycles. Plans are now completed for the project. The path will be 6 feet wide, extending from Sixth street to Morton Hill, a distance of half a mile. Other similar paths will be built along the principal thoroughfares of the city. The cost is borne by private subscription.

MADE A DRAW.

Unsatisfactory Eight-Round Bout Between Creedon and Baker.

The eight-round bout between Dan Cree the St. Louis middle-weight, and

don, the St. Louis middle-weight, and Henry Baker, the Milwaukee heavy-weight, before the Triangle Club at Chicago Monday night, was declared a draw by Referee George Siler.

Creedon was seconded by Tom Tracey, Charles Essick and Prof. Jim Robinson. Harry Pigeon, Billy Stift and Tom Walker were behind Baker. Creedon trained for the battle at Roby, but he did not appear to be in the best of condition and was unable to land a clincher in the second round, when he had Baker all but out. Dan did most of the fighting and Baker was on the defensive throughout. The St. Louis boy demonstrated his superiority over him, but did not do it decisively enough to warrant the referee giving him the decision, as long as Baker was on his feet and in condition to continue the bout.

Baker is only a third-class heavy-weight and, unless the authorities refused to stand a knock-out, Creedon ought to have finished him. Advices from Chicago say that Dan could not do it, when he had the chance.

McCarthy at Galveston.

GALVESTON, Tex., April 9.—Billy Mc-carthy, who is matched to fight Dan Cree-don in this city, has arrived, accompanied by E. S. Wallace of New Orleans, his man-ager and trainer. McCarthy will train here, while Creedon will train at Houston, arriv-ing there about April 17. The match takes place here on April 27. McCarthy weighs about 175 pounds now, but proposes to re-duce to 180 by the time he enters the ring.

Pugilistic Pointers

Both Leeds and Dixon say they will chal-enge the winner of the Griffo-McAuliffe soon.

Kid McCoy, who will meet Tom Tracey at Boston April 7, has left Memphis for the East. He is backed by Billy Mahoney.

Clarkson's Signature Secured.

Arthur Clarkson arrived in St. Louis Tuesday morning and reported to Manager Buckenberger. Buck then took him into Chris Von Der Ahe and his name was affixed to a contract to pitch good ball for the Browns.

Clarkson is in fine trim and shows that he has been taking good care of himself. He states that he never felt better in his life, and is confident that his work in the box this year will be satisfactory.

Clarkson will not play in the game to-day, but will go to Jacksonville with the team Wednesday.

Browns vs. Wassermans

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The Browns will play the Wassermans at Sportsman's Park at 3 o'clock. Ehret and McDougal will pitch for the Browns and Gallagher and Carter for the amateurs. The Browns leave Wednesday morning for Jacksonville and will then play the Peorias and Quincys.

The Little Diamond.

The Leadville base ball team have organized for the season, with the following players: Philips, c; Goodin, p; Dibbs, lb; Howard, 2b; Washington, ss; Scill, 3b; Brown, r f; Shelton, c f; Scenter, l f. They would like to hear from all clubs in and out of the city. Address 4244A Kennerly avenue. The Anvils opened the season of '95 Sunday by defeating the Emmets by a score of 45 to 8. 45 to 8.

The Emmets would like to hear from some team in the 15-year-old class. Address Joe Craff, Twenty-second and North Market streets.

Pastime Tournament. Pastime Tournament.

A contest of special interest, which will take place at the closing boxing and wrestling tournament of the Pastime Athletic Club, to be held April 30 and 22, will be between Gabriac and Dave Chard. Chard and Routledge fought a draw at the November tournament and in December Chard got the decision. Gabriac lost the decision to Routledge, although he clearly outpointed the Pastime man. Chard and Gabriac having proved that they are better than Routledge, though he is a good man, the set-to will no doubt be one of a lively nature.

Entries are beginning to come in rapidly and the indications point to one of the best tournaments of the season. Care will be taken that all events will move off rapidly and that no long waits will occur.

Pastime Quarterly Meeting. The regular quarterly meeting of the Pastime Athletic Club will take place this evening at the club house, 911 North Vandeventer avenue. No notices have been sent out to the members, through error, but President Laughlin asks all to be present.

Shipped to Pittsburg.

Sam B. Stannard of North St. Louis shipped his prize-winning collie, Lady Gay, to Pittsburg Sunday night. The Pittsburg bench show opened Tuesday, after which Lady Gay will be taken to Boston.

To Owners of Grey-hounds. To Owners of Grey-nounds.

J. F. Guthrie issues the following challenge to owners of greyhounds in St. Louis City and County:

My bitch, Belle, having been beaten at the Brentwood Coursing Grounds, I hereby challenge to run her against any greyhound in St. Louis or St. Louis County (barring Alieen), for from \$30 to \$50; any time or place. A deposit of \$25 is ready to b covered.

ONLY TWO MEN

Twenty-Three Miners Killed by Fire Damp Explosion.

COMPLETE LIST OF VICTIMS

James Kerns Was Not Even Stunned Though the Man Beside Him Was Killed.

SEATTLE, Wash., April, 3.—A Whatcom (Wash.) special says: The Post-Intelligencer correspondent returned at 2 a. m. from the scene of the terrible disaster at Blue Canyon Mine, fifteen miles from this city, on Lake Whatcom, and is in possession of all the postional

of all the particulars now obtainable.

In the blacksmith shop near the tunnel lie the blacksmith shop near the tunnel lie the blacksmed bodies of twenty-three dead miners, while only two of all who were in the mine when the explosion occurred lived to tell the story of the frightful satastrophe and their own miraculous es-

cape.
Fellowing are the names of the killed:
Mine Superintendent DAVID Y. JONES,
leaves wife and child. ANDREW ANDERSON, wife and on JAMES M'ANDREWS, leaves wife.

JAMES KIRKLEY, Jeaves wife.
KIRK CLINSKE, wife and four children.
All the others were single men. Their ames are as follows: CHARLES SILVERMAN. JAMES M'NULTY.

MARTIN M. BLUM. CHARLES CARLSON. PHILIP BINKLE. J. WILLIAMS. BEN MORGAN C. RAMSBURG. J. A. MORGAN.

E. T. CHASE. H. RAVETT. ALEXANDER HENDERICKSON. WM. EVANS. GEÖRGE ROBERTS. LUCAS LOTAKA.

The two men who escaped are Edward ellen of Fair Haven and James Kerns The former was working at the outer witch in the mine, in company with George Roberts, and the latter was working with Sen Morgan in room 16, off the gangway it the outermost of all the works in which

THE EXPLOSION.

The explosion occurred shortly before 3 o'clock, when the shift would have been changed, and the miners were already climbing the steep hill from the bunk-house to take the places of the men

This gangway is reached by a tunnel 78 feet long and the distance from the intersection of the gangway to the breast, where the explosion took place, is about 1,000 feet. The main airshaft reached the gangway about 100 feet from the tunnel and air is supplied by water and it was not affected by the explosion.

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JAMES KERNS' GOOD LUCK.

Kerns, the only miner who escaped from any of the rooms, says that he was not stunned, or even thrown down by the shock, though Morgan, who was working with him, was killed.

Kerns' light was not extinguished and he saw no fire. He slid down the chute to the gangway, losing his light in some way, and managed to make his way in the darkness in some miraculous manner along. the pois-

managed to make his way in the database in some miraculous manner along the poisonous passage, over dead bodies and piles of coal loosened by the explosion, to the open air, but before he reached the entrance the work of rescue had already commenced. Out in the tunnel he met a party of brave miners groping their way inward of the state of the scape of the poisonous gases. as fast as the escape of the poisonous gases permitted. This party and others follow-ing pushed their way into the mine and car-ried out one by one the bodies of the dead miners as they came upon them scattered

ried out one by one the boules of the animers as they came upon them scattered along the gangway.

THE FIRST BODY FOUND.

The first body found was that of the mule driver, lying beside the dead animal, \$60 feet from the mine entrance. From there to the fall of the gangway, a distance of about 900 feet, bodies were scattered along as they fell from the chutes reading to the rooms. Most of the bodies showed little evidence of a struggle and in most instances death apparently came quickly.

McAndrews' body was found buried under a slide of coal, and McNulty was upon his hands and knees about twenty yards from where he had been working, and his hand-kerchief was tied over his nose and mouth. When the correspondent left the mine the work of washing the faces and hands of the dead men was in progress. All that is now possible is being done to alleviate the distress of the families of the deceased. The President of the company, M. E. Downs, now in New York, has been notified by wire. Downs, the bound of the bound of the brought to this city.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething cures wind colic, diarrhoea, etc. 25c a bottle.

Not Lost on the Elbe. BRIDGERORT, Conn., April 9.—John M. Brunsen, residing in this city, who was reported drowned on the Elbe while returning from his home, turned up safe and married. He bought a ticket for the Elbe, but changed his mind when he saw his way clear to a successful courtship. He has brought his wife with him. They arrived on the Hekla, after a stormy passage of twenty-three days.



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tives has been to make the people take these cures as directed. After being dosed and purged for years with tablespoonsful of sickening and dan-gerous decections, they look on these four tastedoubt, but after a few hours their distrust is turned into belief and happiness. There are thous-ands in St. Louis to-day rejoicing over their freedom from disease and escape from the thraidom of quinine, calomel, sallcyclic acid and other poison-ous drugs. There will be thousands more within a week, and the physician who still sticks to the old methods of his grandfather will find his occupa

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure is guaranteed t to five days. It speedily cures shorting pains, sciatics, lumbage and all rheumatic pains in the back, hips or loins. It seldom falls to give relief after one or two doess, and almost invariably cures before one bottle has been used.

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Charles Liepoid, the young small-pox patient at Quarantine is dead. He was sick less than ten days, and would have been married in a few weeks, had he lived. His sweetheart is almost frantic with grief, and even the solace of seeing him buried is denied her, as he will be interred at Quarantine, where his remains must lie for ten years before they can be claimed by relatives.

Soldiers' Home Site.

St. James, Mo., wants the Soldiers' Home, and is willing to donate \$18,000 if it is located on the old William James farm on the outskirts of the town. This can be secured for \$15,000. A committee composed of Richard T. Hill, Stephen Delacella, Mrs. Emile Parker, Mrs. H. E. Day and Mrs. Fred Flammger visited St. James to examine the place. They were well pleased with it, and will recommend the acceptance of the proposition to the Department Encampment

Vehicle Owners' Meeting.

Good-Bye, Old School-House!

The old Charless School is about to be torn down. It is a venerable building, having been erected in 1859, and having grown from a four to a twelve room building. It is being demolished to make room for a stately modern structure. Monday teachers and scholars said farewell to the old place and celebrated the ocasion with music and recitals.

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How the "Top of the Deck" Trick Was Played and 286 Fraudulent Registrations Re-Entered on the Books.

CHRIS SCHAWACKER, Third, near

WILLIAM OWENS, rear of 16 South HARRY WOHLMAKER, 2917 Chestnut. F. G. BAUER, 210 South Second.

the most unique registration and election frauds on record in the First Ward. ceeded in getting 286 names reinstated the registration lists in the First Ward

cause the indictment of the lists of men who he was Gannon. Another name on that list of men who "personally appeared" before Wohlmaker is that of Charles Budd, who said he lived at 28 South Main street. But Charlie didn't live there. Jim Curran gave a slip to Fred J. Wood, whom he took to be a repeater, and told him to vote on it. Wood's affidavit to that effect has already been published in the Post-Dispatch. There is a record of how Budd "personally appeared," but nothing whatever to show how he disappeared, although the deputy revisers, a man who boarded at Curran's for the purpose of feasting his eyes on him and reporters of the Post-Dispatch have all searched for him in vain.

The 285 names which Cronin got reinstated were bunched in two affidavits. Each affidavit contains about 143 names. Wohlmaker was asked how much he got for taking the affidavits. He said: "Well, now, you are encroaching on my private business. Fifty cents is the price for single affidavits, but we have a right to make a reduction on a job lot." Wohlmaker was formerly a salesman and his occupation is so given in the City Directory. The affidavits read as follows:

THE REINSTATEMENTS.

Be it remembered, that on the 23d day of March, 1805, personally appeared before me, the undersigned, as notary public, within and for said city and State, the persons whose names are hereto subscribed, and each being by me upon their oaths sworn, testified and said that they are legall voters of the city of St. Louis and have resided and do now reside in this State, city, precinct and at the atreet numbers set opposite their respective names for the time required by law, and that their names have been wrongfully stricken from the registration lists of voters of the city, and that they are legally entitled to have their names restored to said lists.

registration is alleged to have been stuffed 384.

The men who planned the wholesale registration frauds did their work skillfully. It was not so difficult a matter as might be supposed by the uninitiated. In many of the cheap lodging-houses in the Levee neighborhood the proprietors themselves do not know the names of one-fourth of their distriction. The source of the cheap lodging-house in the Levee neighborhood the proprietors themselves do not know the names of one-fourth of their distriction. The source of the supposed in the second of the second in the second of th

guard to checkmate the plan.

In the late frauds in the First Ward, the plans of the schemers would have been materially interfered with but for a clever trick turned at the last moment. The workers and the watchers on the other side had succeeded in having stricken off over 500 names illegally registered; but 394 were related, 286 of them illegally so, as already stated, on two job lots of affidavits. The way the trick was turned by which the trick wa

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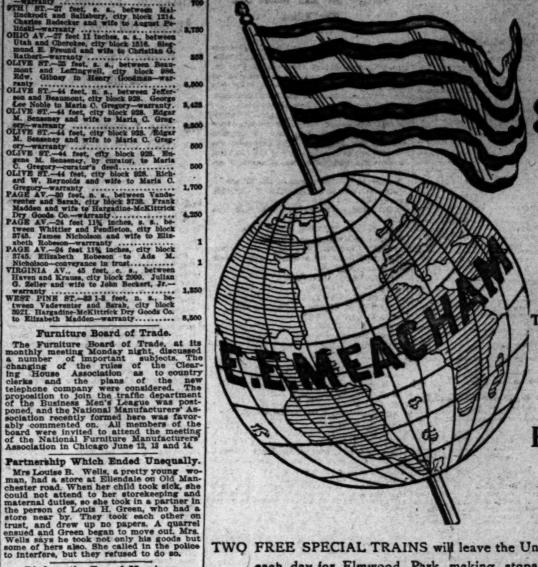
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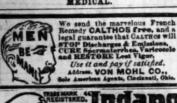
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ST. LOUIS STOCK MARKET.

Chemical National was wanted at 12.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Decision in the Florida Insurance

Sabbath Association Will Not Discontinue les Fight for Purity.

The Sabbath Association has not been much in evidence of late, but its officers say it has not relented one whit in its fight on cases instituted by the association are on Wedneaday's docket of the Court of Criminal Correction. The accused are Lissie Esher, manager of Esher's Theater; R. L. Carlton, of the Winter Garden, A. J. Sommerville, of the Eondon; Bryant Feelsy, of Bryant's; L. C. Thompson, of the Theater Comique, and Sigmund Freund, a South End merchant, who is charged with sabath breaking, and with selling goods on Bunday.

Mr. Hopkins, attorney for the associating abstract.

Mr. Hopkins, attorney for the association for rehearing overruled.

Stumpe vs. Miller, opinion modified a motion for prehearing overruled.

Young vs. Clifford, opinion modified a motion for rehearing overruled.

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RINGFIELD, Ill., April 2.—A bill to late the granting of franchises and al privileges by cities, villages incorporated towns has been need to third reading. It prosents to the laying of gas pipes or the ging of electric-light wires upon any texcept upon the petition of the own-flawd representing more than one-half e frontage of the blocks along which proposed to lay the pipes or string the

bolished.
Gov. Clark has vetoed the bill which uthorized the purchase of a convict farm, and carried with it an appropriation of 1,000. The Governor gave several reasons or withdrawing his approval, the first begin that, owing to the present financial contion of the State's finances, it was inadisable. Second, that four out of the five numbers of the Board of Penitentiary ommissioners considered the scheme impressionable.

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Dev. Clark notified the Senate of the foling appointments:

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"cher, Chas. F. Penzel, Joseph W. MarH. B. Armistead, J. F. Ritchie.

Governor also announced the election

to following officers by the Board of
itentiary Commissioners: SuperintendE. T. McConnell; Financial Agent, J.

Martin: Physician, G. D. Dickinson;

k, J. F. Calef; Chaplain, Rev. Frank
tte.

BOSTON, Mass., April 9.—The Legislative Committee on Insurance has reported to the House favorably on the bill to prohibit any life insurance company in Massachusetts placing a policy on the life of any child under 10 years of age. Three members dissented. The bill, if it passes, will affect business to the amount of over \$\text{components} on appually.

THE CAPTAIN'S STORY.

He Tells How the Ethelred Was Fired Upon Off Cape Maysi.

BOSTON, Mass., April 9.—The steamship elred of the Boston Fruit Company, which was fired upon by a Spanish gunboat in her outward voyage, to Jamaica, ar-

on her outward voyage, to Jamaica, arrived here early to-day. She was immediately boarded by a representative of the Associated Fress, who interviewed Capt. Hopkins, her commander, regarding the affair. The Captain said:

"On April I we were proceeding in our regular course, when, at about 11 o'clock in the forencon, off Cape Maysi, we sighted a ressel which we at first could not make out. We were about a mile from shore. Suddenly the stranger fired a blank shot across our bows. This caused the greatest excitenter on board my boat, the three passeners on board—a gentleman from Quincy und two from Chicago—being considerably larmed. Of course, when the shot was

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Fined \$100 for Assault.

Peter Stiger was fined \$100 in the First istrict Police Court on the charge of hav-g assaulted Wm. Schumacher with a beer ass Sunday afternoon in a saloon at The-sa and Scott avenues.



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which threaten them because of their weakness, languor and lack of ambition. Thousands of women find their strength unequal to the demands of duty. And yet there is no escape from the incessant round of care and foil. They must have strength. How shall it be given? By building up their systems through purined, enriched and vitalized blood. Hood's Sarsaparills will give them strength because it will make their blood pure and enable it to feed the nerves upon their proper nourishment. It will give them strength because it will create as appetite, tone the stomach and invigorate every organ. Hood's Sarsaparilla is exactly what tired women need.

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NEW COMMITTEE

Revival of the Report of the Old Body's Disbandment.

PARTY BADLY DISORGANIZED

Members Express Themselves as Not Averse to a New Deal as a Help to Democracy.

A revival of the rumor printed severa lays ago that the City Central Committee would at its next meeting be called on to consider a resolution to adjourn without day is floating about the hotels and political resorts. One version has it that Michael Cullinane, brother of Councilman William Cullinane, had secured the proxy of John J. Burke of the Fourteenth Ward for the express purpose of offering such a motion at the next meeting of the committee. Mr. Cullinane states that while he did not hold Mr. Burke's proxy he had stated and would reaffirm his opinion that the entire committee ought to resign and give the people a chance to elect successors. He said the lack of confidence of the people in the present committee had been shown in their general refusal to subscribe money for the recent campaign, and he affirmed that a canvass of the large business houses along Washington avenue had produced but \$25, the entire sum at the disposal of the committee during the campaign being \$700.

Henry Quellmaiz, another member of the committee said it was entirely probable that a motion or resolution to disband would be laid before the Democratic Central Committee at its next meeting. For his part, he found his political duties interfering with his private business, and he was about ready to step down and out on general principles. Quellmaiz admitted that the Democratic party was badly disorganized, and he laid most of the blame at the door of Ed Butler. He said the Democrats of his ward (the Ninth) could not be dictated to by such a boss as Butler, and that it had come to pass that the mere rumor that a candidate represented Ed Butler was enough to induce the Democrats of the Ninth and Eleventh wards to bolt him in a body.

Treasurer Thad C. Harris of the Democratic City Central Committee, had this to say with regard to the suggestion of reorganization:

"If a resolution were introduced to adjourn site die I would vote for it. And if would at its next meeting be called on to

organization:

"If a resolution were introduced to adjourn sine die I would vote for it. And if I got out I would stay out and not consent to re-election. I am heartily in favor of reorganization, and believe that if the people really desire it all the members of the committee should retire and give the party a chance to select a committee that would be satisfactory. I know that there are some good and efficient men in the committee, as well as some others who are no longer useful to the party, but I believe they should all get out together and give the people an opportunity to reorganiza.

"But I am not in favor of the plan of reorganization suggested by some of those people who are clamoring for reorganization, namely, an executive committee of seven members, in general control, having charge of a body of precinct men; who should be required to report to the executive committee. This plan would mean the control of the party organization by seven bosses, and, in my quinion, that would be worse than the present plan. I don't favor a central organization having less than one representative for each ward. But I believe the committee should be reorganized."

MR. FLANAGAN WAS THERE. And So Were the Members of the St.

Louis Delegation at the Laclede. It may have been the merest coincidence, but it is nevertheless a fact, that the reported advent at the Laclede Hotel Monday of John H. Flanagan of Carthage was followed in the afternoon by the appearance there of several members of the St. Louis delegation, without special reference to politics.

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Among those noticed about the hotel were
Senators Lancaster and Wurdeman and
Representatives Tatum, O'Reilly and Carroil, several of whom manifested surprise
when informed that Flanagan had been seen
about the hotel during the day. Soon after
receiving this information they all disapbeared, and only Mr. Carroil returned during the evening. The latter had business
with Messrs. J. B. Quigley of Sedalia and
Dennis Ryan of St. Louis, whom he met
luring the evening in the corridor for a few
ninutes. Mr. Flanagan was not in evidence
and the clerks of the hotel stated that he
ad not had a room there since Saturday.

The business of Mr. Quigley was stated
to be the placing of some of the Sedalia
apital Improvement Association's bonds,
tu that gentleman would not state how far
is mission had been a success.

Capt. Wm. Eads, one of the curators of the
tate University, and its principal repsentative, was about the hotel during
he day, but he declared that he was on
acation, and that he had nothing to ask
t the hands of the special session, tales

MODEST MR. FILLEY. MAY BE CHOSEN. He Wants His Own Effigy Placed in a

> rious statement is made in connecti with Representative Tatum's unexplained, positive opposition to the passage of Bit-tinger's bill for the erection of statues of tinger's bill for the erection of statues of Benton and Blair, as the two greatest Missourians in the old Hail of Representatives in Washington. It has heretofore been stated in the Post-Dispatch that Chauncey I. Filley ordered the defeat of the bill because he expected to be United States Senator himself, and did not wish to be charged with the duty of mounting the statue of Francis P. Blair in that court of honor. Now one of the members of the Jefferson City lobby states that Mr. Filley's reason for opposing the bill was even more personal—that, in fact, he expected to be a candidate for that honor himself, and that it was in his mind that in the near future the proposition should be officially made to place his effigy in marble or bronze on a pedestal in the gallery of statues, as one of the two greatest Missourians—Thomas H. Benton being accorded the additional honor of a place by his side.

Schumacher's Offense.

Among the items of expense in the account of Otto Schumacher, Republican Delegate-elect for the Sixth Ward, filed with Recorder Higgins, is one of "Refreshments for club, \$10." This is a confession of violation of section 3 of the corrupt practices act, which forbids expenditures for "giving or providing any meat, drink, entertainment or provision to or for any person." The fine for violation is \$25 for each offense.

LOUIS LAUTEN MISSING.

Chemical Salesman Disappears Mysteriously After Reaching Milwaukee. Nearly a month ago Louis Lauten, a trav Co., who left this city on an extended busi

Co., who left this city on an extended business trip, very mysteriously disappeared from Milwaukee. He reached that city, rented a room at 451 Jefferson street, and stated that he would remain about three weeks. When he engaged the room he was accompanied by a Mr. Appleton, who presided over the biscuit range of the Rumford company at the pure food show.

A few days later Appleton called at the Jefferson street house with a letter from Lauten's firm, and requested that it be given to Lauten immediately on his return. Nothing was thought of his absence, as it was supposed he was away on a business trip. Continued silence on the part of Mr. Lauten finally alarmed his family, who live in this city at 1709 Gratiot street. They strenuously guarded the secret of their apprehension, and, although they instituted a quiet search and sent a friend, Mr. Chas. Thomas, to Milwaukee, the story of Lauten's mysterious disappearance comes from Milwaukee and not St. Louis.

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Mrs. Lauten, in explanation of her husband's disappearance, hints at suicide, saying that he was given to melancholia when business troubles weighed on his mind. His friends scout that idea. They say that there is no cause whatever for such an act on Lauten's part; that he stood well with his firm and that he was not a drinking man. They are inclined to believe that he was foully dealt with, although even this theory seems vague, in view of the fact that Mr. Lauten was a portly, vigorous man. Every effort is being made on the part of his firm to clear the mystery.

RAN INTO A WASHOUT.

An Entire Freight Train Dumped Into a Raging Torrent.

BRADFORD, Pa., April 9.-A west-bou BRADFORD, Pa., April 9.—A west-bound freight train on the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg Railroad while running at a moderate rate of speed, near Sykes, a small station between Dubois and Punx-sutawney, rain into a washout. The tracks run alongside the Clarion River at this point for some distance. The fog was so dense that the engineer, Taylor, did not see the washout until he ran into it. The entire train was dumped into the raging torrent. Engineer Taylor and Fireman Chas. Clark, together with. Brakeman McClelland are buried under the wreck. All wires are down and further details are unobtainable at present.

WHY HE CHANGED HIS NAME.

Alfred J. Guilfoyle had his name changed to Alfred J. Piatt by Judge Withrow. He gave as his reasons that his father, James T. Guilfoyle, neglected to contribute to his support since he was 7 years old, while the petitioner's uncle, Harry B. Piatt, maintained him until he could do for himself. The petitioner now lives with his uncle and is generally known as Alfred J. Platt.

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NEARLY \$1,000,000 SPENT.

St. Louis Is Exceeded Only by Chicago and Philadelphia in the Extent of Her Improved Thoroughfares.

Street Commissioner Murphy submitted o the Board of Public Improvements his annual report for the fiscal year ending Monday. It shows that the expenditure of the Street Department during the year just finished have been less by over \$400,000 than during the previous year. This was mainly due, however, to the muddle in matters of new work caused by the decision of the Supreme Court against the "Stone bill:" The total amount dertified to by the Commissioner for current and miscellaneous expenses of the department, which includes all repairs, cleaning, bridges, engineer work, sprinkling, maintaining boulevards, etc., was \$78,591.68. The total amount for paying new sidewalks with both brick and artificial stone flagsting was \$40,889.86; for reconstruction of alleys with granite blocks, \$15,893.4. The total amount assessed as a special exx against property owners for new work was \$39,795.39, making the total amount certified to the Auditor by the Commissioner \$372.240.

During the year the Work-house convicts graded streets and alleys to the amount of 103,260 cuble yards, which, at 25 cents per yard, makes \$25,315 worth of work done for the city. The total amount of streets and alleys in the city at this date is: Streets, 372.06 miles; alleys, \$1.39 miles, making a total of improved streets and alleys and is only exceeded by Philadelphia and Chicago.

The Commissioner has carefully prepared tables showing the mileage of streets, the materials with which the streets are paved, the cost of the different pavements and cost and manner of cleaning the streets of eighteen of the principal cities in the country. The figures in these tables make interesting reading and the most important fact contained in them is that in consideration of the mileage of improved streets of eighteen of the principal cities in the country. The figures in these tables make interesting reading and the most important fact contained in them is that in consideration of the mileage of improved streets of elapsien of the principal cities in the country. just finished have been less by over \$400,000

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